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THE WEATHER.

Fair and somewhat colder Saturday; Sunday fair; high northwest winds, diminishing.

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WILSON IN THE ROOM WHERE HE WAS BORN

Rests There After a Ten-Hour Journey to Staunton, Made Despite His Weakness.

WARM WELCOME IN VIRGINIA

Throngs in Weird Costumes and Bonfires All Along the Way Greet the President-Elect.

Special to The New York Times.

STAUNTON, Va., Dec. 27.—Too feeble from three days of fasting and illness and from a ten-hour journey from Princeton to make a speech or to participate in a torchlight parade arranged in his honor, President-elect Woodrow Wilson came back to the home of his babyhood to-night and retired almost immediately in the bedroom in which he was born.

The welcome of the "Mother of Presidents" to her eighth son was tinged with all the deep affection for which the South is famous. Bonfires lit the way from the Virginia line. Undergraduates from the University of Virginia came down to the station at Charlottesville and gave the President-elect a salvo of the college yells in which he once had joined. In five cities people came out in weird costumes, with torchlights in their hands, and cheers of kindly welcome.

To all the welcome Gov. Wilson merely bowed his acknowledgments, because his doctor had forbidden him to speak. It is doubtful whether he could have made himself heard if he had tried, so feeble and hoarse was his voice. His family physician, Dr. James Carnochan, had advised him to abandon the trip. When he insisted that this course was impossible, since it would involve disappointing old neighbors of his family and the townsfolk of his native city, who had gone to great expense to make the welcome home a success, Dr. Carnochan had unwillingly consented to the journey, but had issued positive orders against entertaining Reception Committees.

The ride toward Staunton was, throughout the morning hours, a dark and dismal one, in which a heavy rain beat against the train. At Washington the party was increased by many more members, but none of them ventured to intrude upon Gov. Wilson, who sat with Mrs. Wilson in a stateroom and conserved all the energies left to him after the attack which sent him to bed on Christmas Day.

Welcomed to Father's Parsonage.

Gov. William H. Mann of Virginia, in a private car filled with other conspicuous Virginians, waited at Charlottesville, and his car was switched on to the special train in which the President-elect had left Washington. Another private car attached to the train at Manassas carried Mayor H. H. Wyatt of Staunton and other prominent Staunton residents.

The manner of the welcome home to the parsonage of the Presbyterian Church where Woodrow Wilson's father was once the clergyman in charge, and where the Rev. A. A. Frazer now lives, was typically Southern. At the moment when the parson shook hands on the threshold with the son of the former parson a band on the sidewalk struck up "Home, Sweet Home." It was the "Stonewall Band" of historic fame, for it had been organized to play the music for Stonewall Jackson's brigade, and two of its members had served under the great Confederate leader. As Mrs. Wilson a moment later came up to the porch to be received in the arms of the parson's wife the band switched the tune to "Dixie."

Twenty-five policemen from Washington and a squad of Secret Service men stood about the swinging front gate and by the picket fence and kept the crowding thousands of people back.

Just for an instant the President-elect turned to the crowd before the door closed behind him. "It's fine," he said, "and now all hands can go home and go to bed." Then he waved the crowd good-bye.

Orders were issued to the secret service men to surround the house and see that no one trespassed, and not to speak even among themselves, so that Mr. Wilson might enjoy a perfect rest.

Wilson Escapes the Crowd.

The torchlight parade through the town, which Gov. and Mrs. Wilson largely missed, was a spectacular affair in which most of the 5,000 participants wore masks and fantastic costumes. The train arrived at 8:30 o'clock, and Gov. Wilson alighted between two lines of fixed bayonets backed by the drab uniforms of cavalrymen from Fort Myer. Through the line he and Mrs. Wilson passed to a lane made by the escort of honor, the Staunton infantry battalion of the Virginia National Guard, under command of Capt. H. L. Oppie. Far up the main street was a large arch from which blazed in electric letters "Welcome Home." In both directions from it stretched strings of electric lights for many blocks.

Right at this point Capt. Oppie played a little trick upon the populace in order to get the President-elect speedily to the parsonage. He ordered that the second car in the line of the proposed procession be held for the baggage, and that no other automobile be permitted to precede it. In loading this baggage soldiers moved with the greatest deliberation. The car into which President-elect and Mrs. Wilson were placed was closed, and while the second one was being loaded with baggage it rushed away ahead of the parade. It was taken by the crowd to be a pilot car of some kind. As the line of open cars followed the people cheered and cheered and supposed the President-elect must be somewhere among the dignitaries.

The chief exercises of Mr. Wilson's visit to Staunton will come to-morrow. So that he may be exposed to the inclement weather as little as possible a reviewing stand of glass, with heating arrangements inside of it, has been erected.

Doctor Tried to Stop Him.

When the President-elect arose this morning he was the only member of the Wilson household who was confident he would make the trip. He had not eaten substantial food for three days. His voice was husky, and it was plain to all that he was very weak. Yet he persisted in his plan to make his trip, even after Dr. Carnochan, the family physician, had said he would greatly prefer that Gov. Wilson stay abed, and continue the process of restful recuperation.

Gov. Wilson drove to the depot with Mrs. Wilson and Miss Eleanor through a heavy rain. Outside it was almost as black as night, and much more dismal. Miss Wilson kissed her father and mother good-bye, and returned with the carriage to their cottage. Gov. and Mrs. Wilson and their Secret Service escort stood about on the wet station platform for some time waiting for the train.

"There may have been worse days than this, but I never saw one," Gov. Wilson remarked with a smile that only emphasized his weakness.

At Princeton Junction the Washington train, due to pass through at 10:48 o'clock, was stopped by special arrangement, and Gov. and Mrs. Wilson were escorted to the car Larabee, at the rear. Here they were greeted by the sixteen men comprising the Reception Committee from

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NO DYNAMITE VERDICT YET.

Indianapolis Jury Cannot Report Before 9:30 A. M. To-day.

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 27.—Fifteen hours' deliberation by the jury in the "dynamite conspiracy" cases up to to-night had failed to result in the return of any verdicts. Judge Anderson, after convening court to receive any reports from the jurors, at 3:05 P. M. ordered an adjournment until 9:30 A. M. to-morrow, with the understanding that the verdicts, should they be found, would not be returned until that time.

While Government officials expressed confidence that the jury would report to-morrow, attorneys for the defense thought it might require a longer time. There are twenty-six offenses charged against each of the defendants, and the jury, if it chooses, may ballot on each charge as to each defendant, making a total of 1,040 charges thus to be disposed of.

All the deliberations of the jurors are conducted in a room near their living quarters on the third floor of the Federal Building, which is reached by a private stairway cut off from the rest of the building. On the same floor, at another end of the building, are the quarters of the confessed dynamiters—Ortie E. McManigal and Edward Clark—who appeared as witnesses for the Government. That there may be no basis for any reports as to the jury's progress, every approach leading to their quarters is guarded.

Twice to-day the defendants were assembled in the courtroom in expectation that their fate at the hands of the jury would be made known.

Thirty-five minutes after convening court Judge Anderson adjourned court until afternoon. In the afternoon court reconvened again only to adjourn after a brief wait.

FORGOT HER NAME, HAD $390.

Man and Young Woman Gave Up Theatre Party to Aid Mrs. Remmer.

Miss Alice Murphy of 206 East Ninety-sixth Street started for the theatre last night with a young man. At Ninety-sixth Street and Second Avenue, they encountered an old woman crying bitterly, and when Miss Murphy learned that she was lost and could not even recall her own name, she abandoned her theatre party to assist the old woman.

The aged woman said she thought she lived in Second Avenue near a church, which was in the neighborhood of Forty-second Street, so Miss Murphy and her escort took the old woman in a car to Fifty-ninth Street and then walked with her to Forty-second Street. She did not recognize the locality and decided it must be near Thirteenth Street she lived, so again they took a car, alighting this time at Fourteenth Street, and finally arrived at the Fifth Street Police Station when the old woman again failed to recognize her surroundings.

In the station house a slip of paper with the name McCauley and the address 2,209 Second Avenue was found in her bag. There was $390 there also, and the woman cried when the policeman drew this out:

"Oh, don't take that; I've been saving for nine years and it's all I have."

They assured her her money was safe, and then they notified the Bronx police and had them investigate the number at 2,209 Second Avenue. A family named McCauley said that Mrs. Jane Remmer lived with them there, and one of the men of the family started downtown to get the old woman. Before he reached the station Mrs. Remmer recalled her name, but couldn't explain how she had come to be at Ninety-sixth Street and Second Avenue.

VERBECK HEADS THE GUARD.

Dix Names Him as Major General—Sulzer Will Really Decide.

ALBANY, Dec. 27.—Adjt. Gen. William Verbeck was appointed Major General of the National Guard of the State by Gov. Dix to-day to succeed Major Gen. John F. O'Ryan, retired. He will act both as Major General and Adjutant General until Jan. 1, when he will be succeeded as Adjutant General by Henry D. Hamilton of Brooklyn, who will be an appointee of Governor-elect Sulzer. After that date Gen. Verbeck will continue in command of the National Guard by virtue of his office as Major General, which is purely a military one, to which no salary is attached.

In announcing the appointment to-night Gov. Dix issued this statement:

> In the appointment of Brig. Gen. William Verbeck to be Major General of the National Guard of the State I am of the firm opinion that the best interest of that organization is being served and its progressive efficiency maintained.
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> When it became necessary to relieve Gen. O'Ryan of his command, I advised with those qualified to know the past history and future needs of the Guard, and have concluded that, to preserve the efficiency and honor of the militia of this State, a successor be named at once to the position.
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> Partisanship has no place in the National Guard, but strict observance of military discipline is essential to its welfare and usefulness. For these reasons and for the demonstrated ability of Gen. Verbeck, I have this day appointed him Major General.

Gen. Verbeck took the oath of office immediately after his appointment and left later in the afternoon for his home in Manlius.

As the appointment of a Major General requires confirmation by the Senate, Gov.-elect Sulzer will send the nomination of Gen. Verbeck or some other appointee to that body for approval.

SHOT HIS PLAYMATE DEAD.

Two Boys Playing with a Rifle, When One Is Killed.

Mrs. August Oberst of 3,526 Park Avenue, the Bronx, heard the report of a rifle shot late yesterday afternoon, and as she started toward the front room whence the sound came she was met by her 14-year-old son Frank, who ran to her, saying:

"Oh, mother, I'm shot; I'm shot."

The mother grabbed the boy up, and, seeing a wound in his left breast, paid no attention to 15-year-old Engelbert Kremla, the son of a neighbor in the same house, who ran crying from the Oberst apartment. While the mother was putting her son in bed the Kremla youngster ran into a saloon near the house and told the bartender that he had just shot his playmate. Dr. Epstein was called from Lebanon Hospital, and young Kremla guided him to the Oberst home. When the surgeon arrived, however, Frank was dead.

Later Engelbert said that he and Frank had been playing with a rifle belonging to Frank's elder brother, and that he accidentally had shot his friend. He was taken before Coroner Healy, who paroled him in custody of his father.

HARRIMAN PETS POISONED.

Two Dogs and a Cat Mysteriously Killed on Newport Estate.

Special to The New York Times.

NEWPORT, Dec. 27.—Two dogs and a cat belonging to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Harriman, at Clover Patch, have been poisoned since last Sunday.

One of the dogs, Jolly, a fox terrier, had been the pet of Mr. and Mrs. Harriman, their children and neighbors. With Bobby Burns, a white fox terrier, and a gray cat, he was put to death with poisoned foodstuffs.

Jolly and Bobby Burns were well known about Bellevue Court, where Mr. and Mrs. Harriman have lived many years.

THE STOCK EXCHANGE IS TO REFORM ITSELF

Instead of a Defense to Pujo Committee, Some Practices Will Be Stopped, Others Checked.

GOVERNORS ARE TO DO IT

Consolidated Also Proposes Cleaning Up, Its President Saying Exchanges Must Be of Real Service.

The Governors of the Stock Exchange have all but definitely abandoned the idea of issuing a statement in defense of Exchange practices and instead will turn their attention to correcting evils which admittedly exist. This was the upshot of the discussion at their regular meeting on Thursday, it was learned yesterday from one of the most influential members of the board.

Just how the Governors will go about the reforms they are prepared to make has not yet developed, but it is understood that the first steps at least will be taken through their sub-committees on stock listing, admissions, &c.

The movement for reform was a direct outgrowth of the proposal that a statement should be issued in reply to the criticisms expressed or implied in the line of examination followed by Samuel Untermyer at the recent hearings before the Pujo Committee. Former Presidents of the Exchange admitted that manipulation and wash sales should be stopped and that much of the transactions represented "pure gambling."

The emphasis that was laid on these abuses, in the view of some of the Governors, rather overshadowed the proper and useful functions of the Exchange, and they felt that their case had not been fairly put before the public. They proposed that a defensive statement be drawn up to offset the effect of this testimony on the public, whose confidence is necessary to the business success of its members.

A meeting of the Governors was called ten days ago and the proposed statement was discussed. Strong opposition to it appeared at the start. It was urged that the dignified thing to do was to wait until the Pujo Committee had made its report and recommended legislation. At the hearings on such bills, it was argued, the Stock Exchange could present its case, not under cross-examination, but in its own way. The matter, however, was referred to the Law Committee for further consideration and was subsequently discussed at another meeting, favorable sentiment apparently waning on each occasion when it was brought up.

At the meeting on Thursday the whole subject was gone over again and new arguments were presented against such action. One of the suggestions was that the head of a trust, who had made no secret of his virtues for years, had suddenly found himself in the toils of the Department of Justice engaged in enforcing the Sherman law. Charles S. Mellen, it was pointed out, had issued a long defense through the press and in advertisements, only to find himself indicted by the Federal Grand Jury a few days later. The analogy was applied to the Stock Exchange, and those who favored issuing a statement were told that the proper thing to do was to issue no statement, but to correct existing abuses.

It is understood that at further meetings more definite plans will be adopted for bringing about the reforms contemplated.

Among the things most severly condemned at the Pujo Committee hearings were manipulation, matched orders, wash sales, the listing of stocks without full information as to the organization of companies, the limitation of the membership to 1,100, the boycott of the Consolidated Exchange, and the rule practically limiting to the American Banknote Company the engraving of securities listed.

It is believed that the Governors are open-minded on at least some of these points. If the present rules against manipulation are not stringent enough, more stringent rules will be proposed. Similarly, the requirements of information before the listing of stocks will probably be made more thoroughgoing. The question of removing the limitation on the number of members may also be considered.

Criticisms that come up from time to time as to short selling are believed to be among those not regarded as having any foundation. The Pujo Committee itself has not indicated any desire to prevent short selling or ordinary speculation.

Consolidated to Clean Up, Too.

The situation is a good deal the same as it was after the Stock Exchange was investigated by the commission appointed by Gov. Hughes. Every change called for in the report of that commission is said to have been made by the Governors. In the case of the Pujo Committee, however, the present disposition is not to wait for a report, but to meet promptly any objections that seem to the Governors to be well founded.

The Consolidated Exchange is also contemplating changes, partly as a result of the Pujo inquiry. In this case greater publicity as to all matters affecting the investing public is the end aimed at. Warren W. Erwin has taken advantage of the present agitation to renew a proposal that the Consolidated establish a Bureau of Information. In a circular letter sent out yesterday M. E. De Aguero, President of the Consolidated, approves this proposal as a step forward.

"There is an idea prevalent," he says, "that Stock Exchanges should do more than merely offer a room where transactions may be made and recorded with the minimum amount of inconvenience. While the Exchange should in no sense guarantee the worth or stability of the securities dealt in, it should, in my opinion, afford every facility to the intending investor to enable him to learn the history, earning capacity, and intrinsic value of his contemplated investment.

"I believe that the time is coming when it will be necessary for every Exchange to justify its existence by rendering real service to the people."

Mr. Erwin's plan provides for a bureau under a salaried manager, "who should be an expert in all things that make or unmake values." He would have an advisory board, including an expert accountant, to analyze and compare reports of corporations, a civil engineer to inspect and report on plants, their condition, and physical value; an expert on banking and credit conditions to give information as to monetary and investment conditions here and abroad, new issues of securities, &c.; a legal expert to pass on charters and franchises, and special experts on business conditions, labor, economics, and politics. The information gathered would be published in a monthly bulletin.

In proposing this plan for the Consolidated Exchange, Mr. Erwin says:

"We are convinced that the present is the most opportune time to inaugurate the plan, because public attention is being directed to the security markets by the investigations of a Congressional committee. Nothing serves so effectively to remove ground for criticism as frank publicity; it is to the absence thereof that most of the cause for the criticism against Wall Street is attributable.

The plan for a Bureau of Information will come up at the next meeting of the Consolidated Governors.

MORMON BOOK PROVED A FRAUD

Metropolitan Museum walls show that "inspired writings" were really old Egyptian manuscripts translated with an active imagination. In **To-morrow's Sunday Times.**

SEEK TO DISBAR ROBERT KUEHNERT

Lawyer, Attacked in Smith Estate Fight, Accused of Deceiving Appellate Division.

HID AN OLD ACCUSATION

Charges Made That He Concealed Circumstances of His Leaving Cincinnati—Ex-Justice Wadhams Referee.

The Appellate Division has appointed ex-Justice William H. Wadhams as referee to take testimony in disbarment proceedings brought against Attorney Robert Kuehnert. Mr. Kuehnert is now in Germany and the proceedings are awaiting the return of a commission to take his testimony in Berlin. Peculiar interest attaches to the outcome of the charges, since Mr. Kuehnert is the attorney who arranged in Berlin for the adoption of Ruth Hopkins Smith, the 8-year-old girl, whose right to share in the estate of her father by adoption, Lucius Hopkins Smith, is now being attacked in the Surrogates' Court by his brother, Sidney Smith.

In the Surrogates' proceedings, Sidney Smith charged that Judge Fechner, the German Justice who signed the adoption papers, was incorrectly informed concerning the New York State domestic relations law by Mr. Kuehnert. It is Mr. Smith's contention that, under German law, Judge Fechner had the right to sanction the adoption by a foreigner only in cases where the adoption at home was a "ministerial act," that is, one in which a New York State Supreme Court Justice had no discretion, but had to act on application. Mr. Smith declared that Mr. Kuehnert told Judge Fechner that an adoption in this State was a "ministerial act." Surrogate Cohalan has not as yet announced his decision on Mr. Smith's application to issue letters rogatory for the questioning of Judge Fechner.

Estate Valued at $300,000.

The value of the estate of Lucius H. Smith has been estimated at about $300,000. It is mostly in personal property and if the adoption should be upset it would go almost in its entirety to Sidney Smith. Mrs. Smith, the widow, recently left for Europe, after expressing her annoyance at American litigation. A judgement against her for $2,713 in favor of Sidney Smith was obtained a month or more ago in the City Court before Judge Finelite for moneys advanced at the time of her husband's funeral.

Mr. Kuehnert was prominent in the prosecution on behalf of German stockholders of the Cottonwood Creek Copper Company of Noah E. Barnes, its President. Barnes adopted Count Hans Ferdinand von Hochberg, who had interested these stockholders and the Count took his name. The Count was a witness against his adopted father in the trial before Supreme Court Justice Goff, which resulted in his conviction for grand larceny. Barnes is now out on bail pending an appeal on a certificate of reasonable doubt.

Mr. Kuehnert's own explanation of the disbarment charges against him became known yesterday. He was charged with having concealed from the Appellate Division in 1898 when he was admitted to practice in this State, the circumstances of his leaving Cincinnati, Ohio, where he was admitted to the bar in 1880. Mr. Kuehnert said he left Cincinnati for the sake of his children, following charges against him in the Cincinnati newspapers. He denied vigorously that these charges had any foundation in fact, but asserted that they humiliated and grieved him.

While in Cincinnati, Mr. Kuehnert said he lived in the suburbs in a road in which there were but three houses. In the first house there was a man named Doolittle and below him on the same side of the street lived a lawyer named Henry Baer. Further up the street on the opposite side and in the opposite direction from Mr. Doolittle was the Kuehnert residence. One night Mr. Kuehnert said he discovered that his own house was on fire and the flames were making rapid progress in a defective flue at the rear of the house. His first thought, he said, was to get his children out and then his wife reminded him of his father-in-law, saying: "Look out for papa, he is on the third floor."

Handed Children to Neighbors.

Mr. Kuehnert said it proved a difficult task to get the old man from the house in safety. He took one of his children to Mr. Baer's house, and, while on his way with the second, he met Mr. Doolittle and turned the child over to him, going back to assist his wife in rescuing some of their household effects. Some question was raised, he said, over the payment of insurance on the house.

A few weeks after the fire Mr. Kuehnert asid Mr. Doolittle was found dead with a bullet wound in his head. Then there arose a report that the second Kuehnert child had been handed to Mr. Doolittle to get the latter away from the scene of the fire, and that Mr. Kuehnert had been in the neighborhood about the time it was supposed Mr. Doolittle was shot. Mr. Kuehnert told the grievance committee of the Bar Association that following this story he had gone to the District Attorney of Hamilton County, and to the Coroner and had asked them for a close inquiry into the affair to clear himself. The Coroner, he said, had been with him at a meeting of a building association on the night of the shooting, and with the District Attorney agreed that the newspaper articles hinting that he knew something about Mr. Doolittle's death were unwarranted. A fire captain, who testified at the Coroner's inquest that he had recognized Mr. Kuehnert by his walk on the night of the shooting, later said he had been mistaken.

Despite this exoneration, Mr. Kuehnert said he feared his children would be taunted by their schoolmates, and for that reason he left Cincinnati.

Mrs. Julius Miller Gets Divorce.

Special to The New York Times.

RENO, Nev., Dec. 27.—Hattie Chisteller Miller, wife of Julius Miller, a lawyer of 42 Broadway, New York, obtained a divorce to-day on the ground of cruelty. She was authorized to resume her maiden name, Chisteller. The two were married Sept. 9, 1909, in New York.

ANTEDILUVIAN WHISKEY.
Rip Van Winkle's toast, "Here's to your health," suggests Antediluvian. Luyties Bros., N. Y.—Adv.

AUTOMOBILE UPSET ALMOST ENDS HIKE

Suffrage Marchers, Abandoning Foot Work for Motor Side Trip, Are Wrecked.

TO ARRIVE IN ALBANY TO-DAY

Gen. Jones Upsets Reception Plans and Army Will Finish in a Final Forced March.

Special to The New York Times.

VALATIE, N. Y., Dec. 27.—The progress of Gen. Jones and her army, marching to Albany to deliver a message to Gov.-elect Sulzer came near ending seriously to-night, when an automobile, bringing the suffragists from a meeting three miles from their night camp, skidded and ran down an embankment.

It was the climax of a trying day. The pilgrims had plodded along roads almost knee-deep in snow and slush, and at nightfall they had reached this village almost exhausted.

The undaunted Gen. Jones, after a bath and a change of clothing, announced that she intended to plod three miles further through the snow to talk at the home of James Valentine, where a number of men and women had gathered to hear her. She called for volunteers to accompany her. Col. Ida Craft and Surgeon General Dock responded, and, accompanied by Edward Van Wyck, they started for the Valentine house.

It took them almost two hours to get there, and the pilgrims were pretty well used up when the friendly lights of the house twinkled out over the snow.

Before leaving here the General had asked Commissary General Alphonse Major to call for them in his automobile and bring them back to Valatie. Something had gone wrong with the car, and Major engaged one from a local garage. When the meeting was over and the pilgrims were ready to return the roads were in terrible condition. The soft wet snow was deep and the snowstorm had turned to a drizzling rain that had converted most of the way into a channel of slush and mud. In some places the road was almost impassable.

The pilgrims climbed into the car and started back to Valatie. The car had no chains on the wheels, and the start had no more than been made when it began to skid. The women were in a state of nervous excitement long before the end of the first mile. Twice the machine came near leaving the road, and Gen. Jones asked the chauffeur to exercise care. She was assured by Major and the driver that it would be all right.

Two miles of the three had been covered when, in making a slight bend in the road, the car skidded and made directly for a tree. The women screamed and the driver by a quick turn of the wheel just avoided disaster, but in making the turn the machine skidded off the road and slid down an embankment.

Huddled in the rear seat, the three women held on as best they could and screamed as the automobile went crashing through the undergrowth. Fortunately, the car had not been going at a high rate of speed. The man at the wheel succeeded in stopping it, but it was only just in time, for it had tipped and hung at an angle of 45 degrees.

The passengers were clinging to the seats. Some of them were screaming with fright. Gen. Jones, however, kept her presence of mind, and as the car stopped she said:

"Well, that is over."

Major and Van Wyck helped the women out of the automobile and assisted them back to the road. The accident had crippled the car. The men made an attempt to get it back on the road, but had to abandon the effort.

The three women stood shivering for a quarter of an hour, and then the General, who was nursing a bruised arm, sighted the lights of an automobile coming down the road. She signaled the car to stop, and when two young men brought their automobile to a halt, she explained who she was, and asked that the party be given a "lift" back to the Pine Tree Inn. A moment later the car had been turned, and Gen. Jones and her escort were speeding back to their quarters.

Ever since the pilgrims made their famous hike of twenty-two miles through the snowstorm from Upper Red Hook to Hudson, the General has been combating ambition. That day's hike proved to the women what they could do, and now they call six and eight miles a day a "pink tea stroll."

They have been urging the General to cover the distance to Albany in what they call "good walking time." Gen. Jones consented to do so at a war council held just before the hikers left Stockport Centre.

So the march to-morrow will be from this hamlet all the way to Albany, about eighteen miles. The outlook to-night is bad for such a march, but the General has announced that the army will go through.

This change of plans was not received enthusiastically in Albany, where the suffragists had made elaborate plans for receiving the marchers next Tuesday. This news did not disturb Gen. Jones, and it was announced after a brief conversation that both Mrs. Gavit and Miss Smith would meet the army at 1:30 o'clock to-morrow afternoon at East Greenbush.

It is said that the delegation of New York women who planned to arrive in Albany and share in the honors of the faithful three there will be disappointed by this new move of Gen. Jones.

The rain of the night had turned into a heavy, wet snowstorm when the pilgrims left Stockport Centre this morning. Of the party Surgeon General Dock is suffering the most. Her feet are blistered, and, though she has been spending almost every minute of rest treating them they were in bad condition when she started out this morning.

The event of the day was the meeting at Kinderhook, where 300 persons welcomed the army and heard a speech by Gen. Jones.

BEAT ARMY TO SULZER.

With a handful of their sisters hiking to Albany to lay in wait at the Capitol for Sulzer, half a dozen suffragists, headed by Mrs. Harriot Stanton Blatch, made their way to Mr. Sulzer's office at 115 Broadway yesterday afternoon and asked for an audience.

The Governor-elect came out of his inner office after the suffragists had been waiting for a long time in his anteroom. Mrs. Blatch told him that the women would expect him to give hearty support to their proposed amendment to wipe from the Constitution the discrimination which gives the ballot to men and keeps it from women. Sulzer did not commit himself any further than to say:

"There never will be a better woman suffrage Governor at Albany than 'Bill' Sulzer."

The women went away comforted, but will not relax their watchfulness at Albany, where they expect to keep a committee through the coming session if necessary to make propaganda for the sort of women's right which is the object of their contention.

It was learned from a semi-official source yesterday that Tammany leader Charles F. Murphy, whose absence from the Sulzer testimonial dinner last Saturday caused some comment, would not take the trouble to go to the capital for the inauguration of the new Democratic Governor-elect. Murphy was conspicuously present at the Dix inauguration two years ago, and inconveniently domiciled at the capital for several weeks after, while State patronage was being parceled out and the Senatorial fight settled—the last not entirely to Mr. Murphy's liking.

PRINCE MAY VISIT HERE.

King George's Second Son Going on a Cruise as a Naval Cadet.

By Marconi Transatlantic Wireless Telegraph to The New York Times.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—There is a possibility of Prince George, the King's second son, visiting American ports in the near future. It is anounced that the Prince, after four years' tuition in the naval colleges at Osborne and Dartmouth, will embark on the armored cruiser Cumberland on Jan. 18 in company with other naval cadets for a long cruise to West Indian and other ports. The cruise is undertaken for instructional purposes, but the Admiralty has decided that the Cumberland shall visit some foreign ports to enable the cadets to see something of the world.

FAMOUS BOTTICELLI SOLD.

"St. Jerome" Goes to American Collector at Price Exceeding $50,000.

By Marconi Transatlantic Wireless Telegraph to The New York Times.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—The Morning Post is authorized to state that Botticelli's famous painting "St. Jerome" has been sold by the Messrs. Duveen to a well-known American collector at a high price.

Some fourteen years ago the picture was offered to the trustees of the National Gallery for £500, ($2,500,) and later offered again to the Nation for £8,000, ($40,000;) but the Trustees did not close with either offer. The price was then increased to £10,000, ($50,000,) and a leading English critic endeavored to persuade one of the best known American collectors to buy it; but the offer was rejected, and it was eventually bought by the Duveens.

MISS BARNES LEAVES HOTEL.

Woman Who Was Robbed Does Not Give Her New Address.

Miss Frances S. Barnes, whose apartment in the St. Andrew Hotel at Broadway and Seventy-second Street was robbed on Nov. 27 of jewelry and other articles valued at $10,000, moved from the hotel yesterday without acquainting the management with her new address. When inquiry was made at the hotel regarding the investigation into the robbery being made by the police, S. L. Root, Manager of the hotel, said that Miss Barnes had her trunks removed from the hotel during the afternoon. He suggested that she did not like the publicity which followed the robbery.

Miss Barnes, who is a well-known horsewoman and a granddaughter of the late A. S. Barnes, publisher of 272 West Seventy-second Street, lived in the St. Andrew Hotel for four years, with the exception of the summer months, which she spent abroad.

FOLLOWED HUSBAND IN DEATH

Hewlett S. Baker and Wife Buried Together from Bronx Home.

Hewlett S. Baker, 82 years old, of 659 East 242d Street, the Bronx, died on Friday week of apoplexy. The funeral was delayed because of the serious illness of his wife, who was greatly affected by his death. Mrs. Baker failed to rally and died on Christmas morning. Funeral services for Mr. Baker and Mrs. Baker were held yesterday, and the bodies taken to Poughkeepsie for burial.

Mr. Baker was a contractor and builder in the Bronx and had offices in 138th Street, near Third Avenue. He was born in Pleasantville, N. Y., Oct. 10, 1830. In 1852 he moved to Poughkeepsie and was married there shortly afterward to Miss Margaret J. Brooks. They came to New York a few years later. Mrs. Baker was 72 years old.

Mr. and Mrs. Baker are survived by four children, Walter S. Baker, Charles T. Baker, and Miss Laura Baker of New York, and Mrs. George Coles of California.

MAN OF FIFTY AT HIS BEST.

Prof. Muensterberg Agrees with Statements of German Scientists.

Special to The New York Times.

BOSTON, Dec. 27.—"America is responsible for the unwarranted prejudice against the man of fifty years in Germany," declared Prof. Hugo Münsterberg of Harvard University to-day. "I say unwarranted because the man of fifty years is just in his prime."

Prof. Krause, the clinical specialist of Berlin; Dr. Leppmann, a noted physician, and Prof. Kampf, President of the Royal Art Academy, were quoted in a recent cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES to prove that the man of fifty years was generally more valuable to his employer and to himself than the man of ten or more years younger.

"Prof. Krause is the greatest clinical authority in Berlin," continued Prof. Münsterberg. "I agree with his views in every particular. The man of fifty is at his best. It cannot be said that he is growing old. Only in exceptional cases, due to special causes, is the man of fifty an exception to this statement."

MOTHER FROZE TO DEATH.

One of Her Daughters Faints After Giving Cloak to Younger Sister.

MOUNT HOLLY, N. J., Dec. 27.—Mrs. Elizabeth Lowther, wife of John Lowther, who lives in the pines near Chatsworth, was frozen to death on Christmas Day while she was struggling to get to her home through the snowstorm. Her daughter Mary, 14 years old, was found unconscious in the snow near her home.

Mrs. Lowther, with her daughter, Mary, and a younger daughter had been shopping on the day before Christmas and late in the afternoon started for her home. She quit the train at Harris station and, bearing several bundles, started to walk the four miles to her house. She lost her way, but toiled on until she could go no further. Mary Lowther had up to that time followed her mother, but when the elder woman collapsed the girl took her sister on her back and started forward alone, hoping to reach a house where she could get help. She managed to reach a wood road, and staggered along this for a way before she lost consciousness.

Before fainting she gave the younger girl her cloak. The children lay where they fell at night. Christmas morning a man hauling shingles from the woods found them. From the younger child he learned of the mother's plight. Mary Lowther was not able to talk. The man threw off his load of shingles, put the girls in his cart and started back along their trail to find the mother. She was dead when he discovered her body.

WARNED WALDO AGAINST BECKER

Fosdick Tells Curran Committee Commissioner Relied on Spy System to Stop Police Graft.

DISTRUSTED ALL HIS STAFF

They Would All Take "It" if They Got the Chance, He Told Commissioner of Accounts.

WALDO A TESTY WITNESS

Won't Let "Irresponsible Youngsters" Mix Up His Records Without a Court Order—Police Shadowed Fosdick's Agents.

Police Commissioner Waldo and ex-Commissioner of Accounts Raymond B. Fosdick testified before the Curran Committee yesterday. Mr. Waldo came before the committee with a smile on his face, but with sharp answers for Mr. Buckner, counsel for the committee. His manner showed that he strongly resented the statement of the majority members of the committee that he had hampered its investigation by refusing the special investigators free access to the records of the department. He said if the committee was not satisfied with the attitude he had adopted in regard to letting "irresponsible youngsters" handle the records, it would have to obtain a court order to force him to change it. Before he closed his testimony he became more complacent, and toward the end of his examination he seemed to be on much better terms with the committee.

Mr. Fosdick in his testimony said that because of many complaints that had come to the office of the Commissioner of Acounts in regard to the methods of Lieut. Becker, the attention of Mr. Waldo had been called to that official. No change in the situation resulted from these warnings, he said. He told of investigations he had made of his own volition, and asserted that Inspector William J. Lahey of the Third Inspection District had trailed two of his men into a disorderly resort. These men were then withdrawn, he asserted, and a private detective was employed. This man, said Mr. Fosdick, was on the eve of unearthing important information when Herman Rosenthal was killed. This put a stop to his investigations, for the gambling houses and disorderly resorts went out of business for a time.

The Aldermanic Chamber was crowded when the investigation began at 10:30 o'clock yesterday morning. The expectation of trouble between Mr. Buckner and Mr. Waldo brought throngs to the hearing. Then it was anticipated that other witnesses would be produced to add to the sensational testimony of Mrs. Goode and George A. Sipp, the resort keepers. But none of these things happened. Mr. Fosdick had been working with the commitee, and he knew just what questions he would be asked. He had looked up his dates and had jogged his memory until he was able to tell his story without the prompting of questions.

Fosdick Tells of His Work.

He said that he was Commissioner of Accounts from January, 1910, until September, 1912. The duties of the office, he said, were to audit certain accounts of the city, and to investigate the departments. Some of the work was done by order of the Mayor, and some grew out of complaints received from citizens. Asked if he had ever investigated the Police Department, Mr. Fosdick replied that two comprehensive investigations were made. One of these was regarding conditions at Coney Island. It was undertaken while President Mitchel of the Aldermen was Acting Mayor, and the other was confined to the Board of Police Surgeons.

Mr. Buckner wanted to get on the record the fact that Mayor Gaynor had never ordered an investigation into any specific matter relating to any police official. He asked a question to bring this out, and Mr. Fosdick replied that he had never been ordered by the Mayor to investigate any case against an Inspector or any other high police official. This led up to the complaints against Lieut. Becker. In answer to other questions to show what interest the Mayor had taken in the work of the Commissioner, Mr. Fosdick said that the Mayor had sent him for investigation some complaints of clubbing and other assaults on citizens by patrolmen.

"Were you ever ordered to investigate the administration of the department?" asked Mr. Buckner.

"No," replied Mr. Fosdick.

"Were you ever asked to make any investigation into the allegations concerning the police in connection with the murder of Herman Rosenthal?"

"I never was."

Then Mr. Buckner dropped this line of questions and asked:

"Did you receive many complaints against disorderly resorts?"

"We received many such complaints," replied Mr. Fosdick.

Then Mr. Fosdick, in reply to other questions, said:

"We received some twenty-five complaints a week and many of them were about gambling houses and disorderly resorts. Every one of these complaints was investigated. I would take up the matter with the Police Commissioner or with the Captain of the precinct in which the place complained of stood. The Captains had no plain clothes men at their disposal, but I knew they had a good deal of power where disorderly houses were concerned. In every case where the Captain was consulted the disorderly resort was closed."

This was important news to the committee. It had a direct bearing on the stories told by witnesses before the committee of disorderly resorts which paid for protection and got it. It appeared to put the responsibility for the existence of these resorts upon the Captains, and to exonerate the Inspectors and the special vice squads. But a little later, when Mr. Fosdick brought in the name of Inspector Lahey, the situation changed.

"I had eight Inspectors," said Mr. Fosdick, "and so my work was necessarily limited in scope. When I found that results followed my talks with the Captains, I went to them almost exclusively. I don't know how they closed the resorts complained of, and I did not care to find out. They were closed, and that was all that interested me. I always made subsequent investigations so I knew that the places had been put out of business so far as that special location was concerned. A number of the complaints I received were about places in Inspector Lahey's district. Among these complaints was one against a police official. These complaints were most frequent in the early part of this year. Most of the complaints were rather vague, but they were to the effect that one official, Lieut. Becker, was the chief of a vice squad, and that he was holding up gambling house keepers. I set out to investigate these complaints, but I met with a good deal of difficulty in running them down.

Told Waldo of Becker Complaints.

"I took up the matter with Commissioner Waldo in January, and I put before him the complaints against Lieut. Becker. I asked the Commissioner if he was sure of Becker; if he thought he was trustworthy. The Commissioner told me that he was sure of no one at Headquarters, and that he found it safe to proceed on the principle that all of them would 'take it if they could get it.' He told me that he thought it was impossible for any man to 'get away' with graft under the system he had established. He explained that he had instructed Chief Inspector Schmittberger to watch one man, and that that man watched another man, and so on, and that this system pervaded the force. He told me that each policeman was jealous of his associates, and that each man was glad to get something on another policeman.

"I had a long talk with Mr. Waldo in regard to the police situation," Mr. Fosdick told the Curran Committee yesterdick said. "I pointed out to him how impossible it was to devise a human agency that could not be beaten by other human agencies. I told him I had no facts to lay before him other than the many complaints that had been received. I said I thought these complaints should receive some attention."

"When you told the Commissioner about these complaints against Becker did he remove Becker at once?" Mr. Buckner asked.

"He did not," Mr. Fosdick replied, "but that may have been because I had no facts, no specific accusations to go on. All I had were vague and indirect charges."

"Did you do anything further in the matter?"

"Early in February last I detailed two of my Inspectors in Manhattan and two in Brooklyn and told them I was not particularly concerned about closing disorderly resorts, but that I did want them to see if there was any connection between those resorts and the police. The men in Brooklyn were unsuccessful, and I withdrew them. The men in Manhattan worked for some six weeks. They told me they had been 'spotted' by some of Inspector Lahey's men and that they were being followed around."

Mr. Buckner feigned surprise at this information. He asked Mr. Fosdick if his men were not in the employ of the city just the same as Lahey's men. Mr. Fosdick said that they were.

"And in spite of this," asked Mr. Buckner, "they were shadowed?"

"I told my men to keep at work," went on Mr. Fosdick; "I wanted to get at the gambling situation if I could, but my men were working along their own lines. One night my men tried to get into a gambling house and failed. But they did get into a disorderly resort. The next morning my men told me that Inspector Lahey and one of his men followed them in and asked them what they were after. They told the Inspector they were working with me and that they were trying to find out who the physicians were who attended the disorderly resorts. They said some certificates had been falsified. Lahey lined the inmates of the place up and took their certificates from them. Lahey said he was going to close the place at once and it was closed."

"Did you tell Mr. Waldo about the work you were doing?"

"No. We didn't get any facts, although we had well-grounded suspicions. What I wanted were facts before any action was taken. I continued to prosecute the investigation and employed an outside detective for the work. Having found the gambling situation like a stone wall, we determined to confine our work to the disorderly resorts. The new man worked until July. He never got any direct or positive evidence, but we had struck the trail. Then Rosenthal was murdered and that changed the whole situation. I withdrew the investigator and turned over to the District Attorney and to this committee all the information I had obtained."

"Did you speak to Commissioner Waldo again about Lieut. Becker?" Mr. Buckner asked.

"Yes, I spoke to him several times," the witness said, "but he always replied that his system was sufficient to prevent graft."

"Do you think the Commissioner of Accounts could be used by the Mayor for a comprehensive investigation of the city?"

"I do."

"Do you think the office could be used as a sort of secret service in getting at facts?"

"I do if it had more inspectors. More than once I recommended that the office should be enlarged by adding more inspectors to it."

Fosdick Favors Secret Service.

Mr. Fosdick said that a small, independent secret service of about twenty men under the command of the Police Commissioner would be a most effective force for good. He was asked if he had received a letter just after the Rosenthal murder. He replied:

"I did. It was an anonymous letter and came to me on July 17, the day Rosenthal was killed. It gave me the locations of a number of gambling houses and disorderly resorts. The places were all in one inspection district. I sent a copy of the letter to Mr. Waldo, who sent out detectives to investigate. They reported that they could not get into any of the places. Just before they got to the places they were closed on a tip from the police, the detectives reported."

Mr. Fosdick closed his testimony by saying that statements that he had been prevented by the Mayor from making investigations was not correct.

Commissioner Waldo sat in an anteroom at the committee's hearing yesterday while the committee's investigators were examined. When he was called as a witness he was kept standing near the witness chair until a witness was recalled to answer some additional questions. Mr. Waldo did not like this, and when he took his seat in the witness chair he was flushed and seemed to be angry. Mr. Buckner began to question the Commissioner in his mildest manner. He adopted a conciliatory tone in telling Mr. Waldo of complaints of the committee's investigators that they had hard trouble in getting at the records of the Police Department. Then he asked Mr. Waldo if he had any objection to making an arrangement by which the work of the investigation could be expedited.

"My attitude is just the same as it always has been," was Mr. Waldo's reply. "Your investigators are welcome to examine all the records at Headquarters, but it must be done in an orderly manner. They can have all the files, but they must take them one at a time, or alphabetically, or in any other way they like so long as they don't tear them to pieces. You send up a lot of young men who are not responsible. You can't expect us to turn over to them the records to be scattered."

Mr. Buckner wanted to know if Mr. Waldo would permit some representative of the committee to examine the records.

"If you want to go into the Detective Bureau and get the records there," Mr. Waldo replied, "you will have to get an order of the court. That would relieve me of all responsibility."

After a few more questions Mr. Waldo exclaimed:

"A false statement was made at one of your hearings here. You said a certain document was not on file at Headquarters, but an investigation showed that it was there."

Alderman Esterbrook wanted Mr. Waldo to be more explicit in his charges against the committee. He asked:

"Have our investigators misplaced any of the documents?"

"No, I don't say they have done so," replied Mr. Waldo.

"What prompted you to say they had all been disarranged?"

"It is a matter of common sense that if a lot of youngsters go through a lot of papers some of them are sure to be put in the wrong place. Let your men ask for the records you want and they can get them one by one."

Mr. Buckner explained that the trouble was that the investigators did not know what to ask for. Mr. Waldo insisted that the investigation must be conducted in an orderly way. He said that everything was open to the committee. Alderman Downing wanted to know if Mr. Waldo did not think the Aldermen were responsible, and Mr. Waldo replied that while that was possibly so, the records were in his possession. He said that when Capt. Edward T. Walsh refused to permit the investigators to go behind the desk of the West Forty-seventh Street Station he was carrying out the rules of the department. Mr. Downing said the Aldermen, as officials of the city, had a right to go behind the desk of a station house.

"Possibly so," replied Mr. Waldo. "You didn't get behind, though."

This referred to the visit of the Aldermen to the West Forty-seventh Street Station. They were treated with scant courtesy when they called at the station on their tour of inspection. Mr. Waldo then repeated that he would not permit "twenty or thirty youngsters" to run loose among his records. He accused the committee of trying to create a sensation by intimating that among the records were some that he did not want the committee to see. Alderman Dowling, one of the Democratic members of the committee, asked if the investigators could not have a larger room at Headquarters, and Mr. Waldo replied that he would do the best he could to oblige them in this respect. But when Mr. Buckner asked if the committee could examine blotters at the station houses Mr. Waldo replied that if the committee wanted to see the blotters it could subpoena them. It was finally arranged that William A. Moore of counsel for the committee should have the privilege of going among the records in the file room and examining them at his leisure.

Alderman Dowling asked Mr. Waldo about disorderly resort arrests, and the Commissioner read a list of them from a paper he had with him. The list covered a period between June 1, 1911, and Nov. 1, 1912, and showed that 975 arrests had been made. There were 547 convictions, 311 prisoners were discharged, 117 cases were pending, and 673 resorts were closed. In gambling cases the record showed that there were 216 convictions in this period, 199 prisoners were discharged, and 519 houses were closed. Asked how it happened that Capt. Thomas W. Walsh had stayed for more than five years in command of the Forty-third Precinct, Mr. Waldo said that there were some twenty Captains who had not been moved in the time he had served as Commissioner.

Station Houses Not Sanitary.

The other witnesses of the day were Charles B. Ball, Chief Sanitary Inspector of the Board of Health of Chicago, who had inspected twenty-eight station houses for the Committee; Capt. John D. Ormsby of the Seventh Precinct, and special investigators of the committee who told of trouble they had had in getting any information from the police records because of the opposition of the police officials. Mr. Ball said that many of the station houses were in poor condition as regarded light, ventilation and sanitation, and that all of them would be better for more care in the matter of cleanliness. It was said that the station houses were cleaned when there wasn't much else to do, and that there was no person who was responsible for this work. In speaking of the effect that bad air had on men Mr. Ball said:

"You can't get the right kind of moral fibre out of a man who breathes bad air."

Mr. Ball said that in many of the station houses there were more cells than were necessary, and that he had confined most of his inquiry to this borough because Commissioner Waldo said he must make his investigations in numerical order.

Capt. Ormsby was called as the first witness along a strictly administrative line of inquiry. He was in charge of the Seventh Precinct, and in his term of eighteen months as a Captain served in four precincts. He is now serving under Inspector Cahalane. Mr. Buckner sought to learn from him the routine of a Captain's work; what he did all day, what action he took in regard to disorderly resorts; how he kept his men up to the mark, to whom he reported, and in what way the reports were made. In answer to many questions the Captain said:

"I send a list of the suspected houses in my precinct to the Inspector once a month, and the report goes to the Commissioner afterward. This list is made out on a form called 'Form 29.' If a policeman reports a suspected house I investigate it, and if I find it accurate I tell the Inspector about it."

The witness said that suspected places were not put on "Form 29" unless the Captain was sure that they were open to suspicion.

Herbert R. Sands, one of the committee's investigators, then told of obstacles that had been thrown in his way when he tried to learn about the system of running the Police Department.

"The station house is the clearing house of the whole department," he said. "All reports are made there, all prisoners are taken to them, and so forth. I went with two other investigators to the Forty-seventh Street Station, but we were not allowed to go behind the desk nor permitted to read any of the records, nor to go into any room except the muster room. We had to stand up all the time. We were so hampered in our work that we quit at the end of two or three days."

All of the other investigators corroborated this story of interference with their work. The committee will meet again next Monday at 2 o'clock.

TRY TO DISCREDIT MRS. GOODE.

Inmate of Her Resort Says She Asked Her to Testify Falsely.

When the trial of Patrolman John J. Skelly, accused by Mrs. Mary Goode of extorting money from her, was resumed before Third Deputy Commissioner Walsh at Police Headquarters yesterday, Lawyer Grant, Skelly's counsel, sought to prove that Mrs. Goode had tried to procure false testimony to bolster up her story against Skelly. The lawyer also tried to show that Mrs. Goode was mentally irresponsible, and had at one time been in a sanitarium.

Emory R. Buckner, counsel for the Curran Investigating Committee, has been subpoenaed in Skelly's behalf. Just what the defense expected to prove by examining Mr. Buckner was not learned, but it was believed that an effort would be made to show that the committee's lawyer procured the presence of Mrs. Goode before the committee by promising to have the complaint against her of keeping a disorderly resort dismissed. It was dismissed, but it was through the consent of District Attorney Whitman.

Mrs. Goode had been handled so roughly in her previous appearances in Skelly's trial that she was nervous and unstrung yesterday. Commissioner Walsh noticed her condition and assured her that she need have no fear that any harm would come to her. Mr. Grant asked her if she was prepared to tell her right name, and if she ever used the name of Catharine Berkeley. Mrs. Goode answered "no" to both questions. Then Mr. Grant asked her about women who had been inmates of her resort.

"Did you ever ask anybody to say that they saw you give money to Skelly?" the lawyer asked.

"No, no one ever saw me give any money to Skelly," replied Mrs. Goode.

"Didn't you make threats against Maas and Wolf?" Mr. Grant asked.

"I never did," the witness answered.

Mr. Grant asked Mrs. Goode if she did not ask Ruth Bailey, who was once an inmate of her house, to testify that she saw money passed to Skelly. Mrs. Goode denied that she had ever made any such request, but Mr. Grant kept repeating the question in various forms until the witness was on the verge of tears. She trembled and seemed greatly agitated. Finally she jumped from her chair and cried:

"I never was a liar. I never was a thief. I never told a lie in all my life. I defy and challenge any one to say I am a liar. I will sing it from the housetops."

Then Mrs. Goode dropped back into her chair and Mr. Grant asked her if she had ever been an inmate of a sanatorium for treatment for mental trouble. The witness replied that she never had been.

Then Patrolman Michael J. Mulvaney, a brother-in-law of the Trial Commissioner, testified. He told of trouble he had had in getting Mrs. Goode to appear as a witness against Skelly. Ruth Bailey, a feeble-looking young woman, was then examined. She seemed afraid and her face twitched as she answered the questions.

"I used to live in Mrs. Goode's flat," she said, "and I was there when she was arrested. Soon after that Mrs. Goode called me on the telephone and said she would take me to Atlantic City and pay all of my expenses. I went with her. She drew $200 out of the bank. Soon after that she said she wanted me to be a witness in her case, and she told me the story she wanted me to tell. I told her I would do nothing of the kind, and then she asked me to say that I saw her pay money to Skelly, but I wouldn't do it."

On a previous occasion, Mrs. Goode said she had drawn $200 from her bank to pay the housekeeping expenses. Inspector Dwyer told of having Mrs. Goode in his custody the night of her arrest. Mr. Grant asked that the charge against Skelly be dismissed. The request was denied and Skelly was called. He said he did not know either Maas or Mrs. Goode. The first time he had seen his accuser, he asserted, was when she was arrested by Patrolmen Hall and Dwyer and taken to the West 100th Street Station. He admitted that he knew Sol Wolf. When he was asked if Mrs. Goode had ever paid him $25 he denied it. In reply to a question by Commissioner Walsh Skelly said he could not find his memorandum book in which he entered his daily work.

Skelly said he was doing reserve duty at the time he was charged with taking money from Mrs. Goode. Skelly could not tell what he was doing on the day Mrs. Goode says she met him in the Subway station at 110th Street.

The trial was adjourned until Tuesday morning, when Mr. Buckner will probably testify.

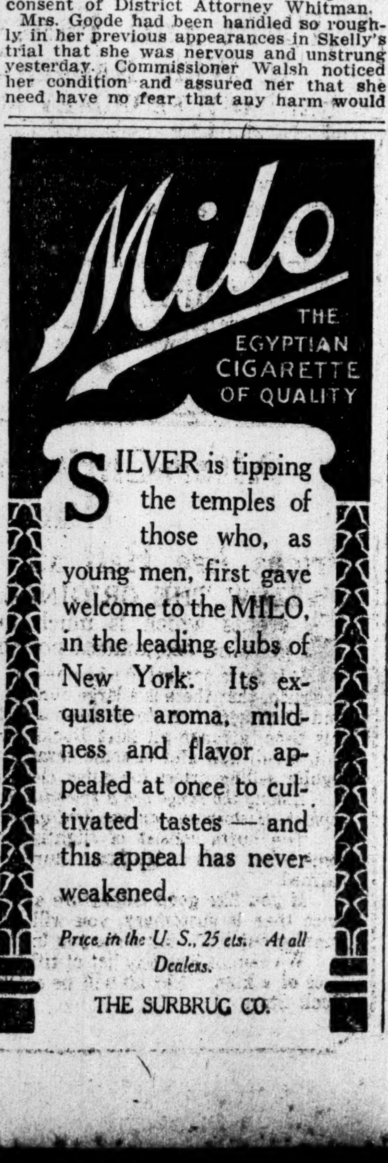
The hearing in the case against Policeman Eugene Fox, charged with extorting money from George A. Sipp, was called in the Tombs Court yesterday, but it was put over until Monday afternoon. Fox was under $5,000 bail. Neither Sipp nor Thomas J. Dorian, who asserted that he had also paid Fox money for protection, was in court. Jacob Rouss, Fox's counsel, moved that the case be dismissed because the affidavit on which he was held was only on information and belief.

"We are ready," said Mr. Rouss, "to answer any charges made against us, but we would like to have some definite charge made. My client is being held on the mere word of a third person, who failed to appear in court."

Fox is the policeman who was summarily arrested by Commissioner Waldo while District Attorney Whitman was looking into his record. The case against Fox was weak because of the lack of corroboration. Magistrate Kernochan said that the affidavit on which Fox was held was incomplete.

"I am holding him," said the Magistrate, "upon a paper which I know as a lawyer, would not be acknowledged by the Supreme Court. I will hold him, however, for the purpose of further investigation."

Fox was under subpoena to appear at Police Headquarters on Monday morning to face trial on the police charges against him.



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GETS WRIT AGAINST WALDO.

Dismissed Inspector Wants Evidence Against Him Produced.

Ex-Inspector Cornelius G. Hayes, who was dismissed from the Police Department by Commissioner Waldo, obtained a writ of certiorari in the Supreme Court yesterday, directing the Police Commissioner to certify to the court all evidence and testimony taken in the trial of Hayes before Deputy Police Commissioner Douglas I. McKay. Hayes was tried upon the charge that he made a false statement when he alleged that Commissioner Waldo had instructed him not to obtain evidence against disorderly resorts.

In his petition Hayes declared that his dismissal was the result of "prejudice, partiality, and bias," and that he was not allowed to cross-examine Commissioner Waldo at his trial. He repeated what he said previously about the Commissioner's order to refrain from obtaining evidence against disorderly resorts.

ROOSEVELT ON HISTORY.

Tells Boston Audience Historian Must Utilize All Sciences.

BOSTON, Dec. 27.—Col. Theodore Roosevelt, speaking on "History as Literature," in Symphony Hall to-night, addressed members of six National associations now holding conventions here. He is President of one of these societies, the American Historical Association. The other organizations are the American Association for Labor Legislation, the American Sociological Society, the American Statistical Association, the American Economic Association, and the American Political Science Association.

Col. Roosevelt discussed at considerable length the art of the historian from the standpoints of science, poetry, mythology, and literature. He argued that history should welcome the entrance into its domain of every science, and that future historians should make use of material from every possible source to convey life-like pictures to others of the past whose secrets they sought to lay bare. The great historian of the future, he said, would be the man who had the genius to reconstruct for his readers the immense panorama of the past. He must possess knowledge and wisdom. He must use his material with such potent wizardry "that we shall see the life that was and not the death that is."

MAYOR'S VIEW OF THE GREAT.

Thinks Washington and Lincoln Were Not Exactly What They Seem.

Mayor Gaynor gave his views on Washington, Lincoln, the Declaration of Independence, and some other things yesterday in a letter to the Rev. Robert W. McLaughlin, pastor of the Park Slope, Brooklyn, Congregational Church. The clergyman has written a book entitled "Washington and Lincoln," and he sent a copy of it to the Mayor. Regarding Washington the Mayor wrote:

"The general impression of Washington is largely mythical. We think of him as a good man, who told the exact truth always, and never got angry and suffered everything patiently, and was of great justice and accuracy of judgment, but not of genius or extraordinary ability. This is all, in the main, true of him; but, as a matter of fact, he was of warm blood and prone to passion, as his contemporaries agree. He is even known to have sworn like a trooper at times. And his face was pitted, and he had bad teeth, and other physical imperfections.

"He was not the equal in knowledge of history, economics and government of the men who surrounded him; but after he had listened patiently to their counsels his judgment was safe and sound."

Of Lincoln the Mayor wrote:

"The character of Lincoln was different. He also lived in a great time, amidst great events and surrounded by great men, who did great things, all of which is epitomized or apotheosized in him. But when we look to see the actual things which he personally did we perceive that his life was in that respect a contrast to that of Washington. He signed the Emancipation Proclamation. That was a momentous fact in history. But it had to be almost extorted from him. And the Russian Emperor had done the like not long before."

The formulation of the Declaration of Independence always seemed to the Mayor, he wrote, to have been an event not so heroic as was generally considered. Several victories had been won, he said, and the declaration only recognized existing conditions.

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Mystery Made of the Case of Philadelphia High Church Rector Who Suddenly Resigned.

HE WILL GO TO EUROPE SOON

Brother, with Whom He Is Staying, Says He May Issue a Statement Before Sailing.

Special to The New York Times.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 27.—Episcopalian Church circles here were greatly stirred to-day over the revelation of the resignation of the Rev. Alfred G. Mortimer from St. Mark's Episcopal Church and his hasty departure from the city following his conference with Bishop Rhinelander. Information from Jersey City, where Dr. Mortimer is staying with his brother, to the effect that he is about to sail for Europe, and the absence of any definite statement from Bishop Rhinelander and the ecclesiastical authorities concerned made a deep mystery of the incident.

Among the clergy there was a general demand for a definite statement from Bishop Rhinelander as to the reason for the minister's departure. This was set forth in a statement issued by the Rev. David M. Steele, rector of the Episcopal Church of St. Luke and the Epiphany in reply to many questions.

"Not knowing what the case is naturally I cannot speak learnedly of its significance," he said. "But being in ignorance seems to be the state of every one in regard to the matter, and the very mystery and secrecy of the affair is the thing that does most harm. Somebody ought to make some statement of facts and stop conjectures. No facts in themselves could be worse than the theories that are offered—probably erroneous ones. It is always lamentable when truth must be arrived at by a process of elimination, by the denial of all conceivable falsehoods that, just because reported, have to be controverted."

Whether Bishop Rhinelander will take any further action in Dr. Mortimer's case is problematical. He is visiting a relative in New York who is critically ill.

From a mass of rumors some definite information was obtained to-day as to the circumstances which led to Dr. Mortimer's resignation. It was said that during the last week in November the dismissal of two men connected with the parochial work precipitated the trouble. These men made charges against the rector. Their statements were not believed, whereupon they offered such evidence that the case was brought to the attention of two prominent members of the Vestry.

The Vestrymen were indignant but felt that they must investigate in order to clear the clergyman's name.

Bishop Rhinelander, on receiving news of the charges, called Dr. Mortimer and advised him to resign. This Dr. Mortimer did and immediately left the city.

An interesting feature of the case to churchmen is the effect it may have upon the movement to change the name of the Protestant Episcopal Church to the American Catholic Church. This movement derived much of its strength from St. Mark's Church. Dr. Mortimer was one of the leaders of the High Church party. Some of the high churchmen of the diocese of Pennsylvania had been planning to elect Dr. Mortimer President of the Standing Committee at the diocesan convention next May, and to send to the general convention in New York a delegation from Pennsylvania that would strongly favor the change in the name.

The Rev. Dr. Frederic Mortimer of St. Mark's Episcopal Church, Jersey City, admitted last night that his brother, the Rev. Alfred Garnett Mortimer, was living with him in the rectory at 449 Jersey Avenue, and had been there since Monday, when he left Philadelphia. Dr. Mortimer said his brother could not be interviewed and had no statement to make. He said Dr. Mortimer planned to go to England, and would probably make some statement before sailing.

ZETA BETA TAU OFFICERS.

College Fraternity Closes Its Convention Here with an Election.

The convention of the Zeta Beta Tau fraternity, which was held at the Hotel Astor in the last week, closed with the election of these National officers yesterday afternoon: Nasi—Prof. Richard J. H. Gottheil of Columbia University; Vice Nasi—Ralph J. Uhry of Schenectady, N. Y.; Sopher—Samuel Levine of Bonham, Texas; Gisbar—Charles Ulin of Boston, Mass.; Historian—Louis W. Greenstein of Cleveland, Ohio.

These chapters were represented at the convention: Colleges of the City of New York, Long Island College Hospital, Bellevue Medical College, Columbia University, New York University, University of Pennsylvania, Cornell University, Boston University, Western Reserve University, Case School of Applied Science, Tulane University, Union University, Polytechnic Institute of Brooklyn, Ohio State University, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Syracuse University, Louisiana State University, Harvard University, University of Illinois, and Michigan University.

The convention week came to a close last evening with a ball at the Hotel Astor.

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WILSON IN THE ROOM WHERE HE WAS BORN

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Staunton and by National Chairman McCombs. By common consent, after the first handshaking was over, the President-elect was left entirely alone in his stateroom.

At lunch time a fine, old Southern dinner, in which broiled chicken and sweet potatoes were featured, was placed before Gov. Wilson. It proved too tempting to be resisted, and he ate liberally.

"That's the first food in three days," he remarked, "and it was awfully good."

He explained why he was so anxious to join the people of Staunton in their celebration of his birthday.

"So many people have put themselves out for this," he remarked, "that it was preposterous to think of disappointing them. They came from far distant points in some cases to join in the festivities, and I could not think of remaining away under the circumstances."

Wants Simple Inaugural Day.

Mr. McCombs showed a telegram from Col. William C. Eustis, stating he would board the train at Washington to talk over matters connected with the coming inaugural ceremonies.

"I want the ceremonies to be as simple and unostentatious as possible," Gov. Wilson remarked.

At Washington a delegation of Senators and Congressmen surrounded the train and greeted Gov. Wilson while his car was being switched to the tracks of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad, on which the journey to Staunton was continued. Among those who greeted Mr. Wilson were Senator Martine of New Jersey and the members of the Virginia delegation.

"Well, you will soon be down with us," remarked Senator Martine.

"Yes, the time is growing near, too near," replied Gov. Wilson. "My four-year sentence will soon commence."

When Col. Eustis sought instructions the President-elect shouted this order from the rear platform as his train pulled out:

"There is one special request that I would make of you. I think that in the past we have gone too far, and I would like to have the ceremonies as simple as may be consistent with the dignity of the occasion."

While all Virginia was making merry to-night a little boy and his parents in Steuben Street, Pittsburgh, were reading a letter of regret that the President-elect could not be present, also, in Pittsburgh. The little boy, whose birthday comes on the same day as that of Woodrow Wilson, is John Paul Mansmann. He invited Gov. Wilson to attend his birthday party, and this is the reply he received:

> Princeton, N. J., Dec. 26.
>
> To Master John Paul Mansmann, 503 Steuben Street, Pittsburgh.
>
> My Dear Little Friend: I wish, with all my heart, that I could attend your birthday party on the 28th of December. It would be very delightful if I could come, and I am sure I would manage to feel almost as young as you are, but, unfortunately, it is not possible, and I can only send you my warmest greetings and hearty best wishes.
>
> Cordially and sincerely yours,
>
> WOODROW WILSON.

From a crippled newsboy in St. Louis Gov. Wilson received a birthday remembrance in the form of a penny coined in the year of his birth.

GREETINGS ONLY, SAYS BRYAN.

Denies That He Has Received a Significant Telegram from Wilson.

Special to The New York Times.

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 27. — William J. Bryan to-day denied that he had received from President-elect Wilson a long telegram having reference to his editorial in The Commoner regarding seniority in Congress, or other matters connected with the coming Democratic administration. Reports that such a telegram had been sent had reached here from the North.

Mr. Bryan said that he and Gov. Wilson had merely exchanged holiday greetings. He added that the newspapers need not expect him to give out any information that might be conveyed in communications from Gov. Wilson.

SIGHT NEW TO MRS. WILSON.

She and Her Daughters Look Forward Eagerly to Inauguration.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Mrs. Woodrow Wilson and her daughters are looking forward eagerly to the inauguration on March 4. None of them has seen a President inducted into office. The fact developed through a letter from Mrs. Wilson to the Southern League of Women's National Wilson and Marshall Clubs, asking that the new mistress of the White House receive the members immediately after the inaugural ceremonies. Mrs. Wilson's reply in part follows:

> Your letter has just reached me here, and I hasten to say that while I feel quite sure that it can be arranged for the ladies of the Southern League to be received after the inaugural ceremonies, I myself am too ignorant in the matter to say any more on my own authority, as I have never seen an inauguration and know nothing of the programme.

Mrs. Wilson added that it would give her and her daughters great pleasure to meet the Southern women. The league is making elaborate social plans for the inauguration.

PAY THEIR ONLY GRIEVANCE.

Little Falls Textile Workers Tell Board Why They Struck.

Special to The New York Times.

LITTLE FALLS, Dec. 27.—The State Board of Mediation heard twenty-five of the textile strikers tell their story to-day. More will be heard to-morrow. The result showed that the strikers left their work, wanting an increase in wages. They had no other grievance. The increase demanded for piece work was 15 per cent. The strikers said they intended to remain firm. Apparently, they were in good spirits. Only a few complained of the police. Those few swore they were prodded in the ribs by policemen when the massed picketing was broken up. There was no evidence of clubbing. Most of the witnesses were piece workers from 20 to 25 years old.

Tina Osli, 16, worked in Gilbert's factory as a thread winder from 6 in the morning until 7 at night. She was not ordered to work that long, but did it to increase her earnings. She made from $6 to $6.50 a week at piece work. She took five minutes for luncheon. She said her employers were willing that she take an hour. She was supporting her mother in Austria, she explained.

Ashillo Strambo, 18, worked ten hours a day as a spinner for $7.50 a week. After the fifty-four-hour law went into effect his pay dropped to $6.75. He supported his father, mother, and sister in Italy, he said, paying $3 a month for his own lodging and doing his own cooking.

Giuseppe Gismondi made $5 a week in slack times and $10 when work was plentiful. In Summer he made as low as $3 and $4, because of slack work.

Antoni Szeliga, 18, unmarried, [illegible] work in the spinning room in Gilbert's when his wages were cut from $7.50 to $7 a week.

Oreste Grassi worked in Gilbert's, getting $7.50 to $7.80 a week for sixty-five hours' industry.

Steven Sovic said he was 22 years old and lived in 521 Jefferson Street. He worked two and a half years as a piece worker in the knitting room of the Phoenix Mills, but struck when his wages were slashed from $10 a week to $9.

Salvatore Cardillo, 20, was employed in the Phoenix Mills at night in the winding room. He labored thirteen hours for five nights each week and half a day on Saturday. He had half an hour for luncheon. He got $10 a week at first, but in the week before the strike was reduced to $8.

John Dryszka worked six weeks in the Phoenix Mills, earning $11 a week when he had charge of eighteen machines and $9 for taking care of fourteen.

Mary Sroka testified that by working from 7 A. M. to 6 P. M. and taking little time for luncheon, she once made $6 in a week of five days. Sometimes, she said, she made only $2.50 to $3. She was an Inspector in the finishing room of the Phoenix Mills.

Mrs. Susie Mizerak, a winder of wool, said she was employed from 6 A. M. to 8 P. M., eating her meals as she worked, and made from $5 to $7 a week.

Stanislawa Cououn, 18, testified she received $1 a day for her work as a folder.

Agnes Kakolaka, a spinner, said she drew $7 a week before the fifty-four-hour law went into effect; thereafter, she received $6.37.

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AND NEVER STRIKE HIS TRAIL

They Camped About Tarrytown, Too, Though Mr. Rockefeller's Neighbors Frequently See Him There.

Efforts were again made to serve a subpoena on William Rockefeller yesterday to compel his attendance before the Pujo Investigation Committee in Washington. The Sergeant-at-arms of the House of Representatives and two of his deputies have been unable for six months to serve Mr. Rockefeller with the papers, and they expressed their belief that Mr. Rockefeller was persistently evading service, though it was said in Tarrytown last night that Mr. Rockefeller was frequently at his country estate there, and that his failure to volunteer as a witness was due to illness.

It is said that Mr. Rockefeller's testimony is desired in relation to stock transactions, particularly those in which he was jointly interested with the late H. H. Rogers of the Standard Oil Company in 1907. Shortly after the investigation commenced this Summer Chairman Pujo wrote to Mr. Rockefeller asking him to testify, to which he replied that his health would not permit his attendance. Then the request was made that he appoint an accountant to compile the information desired, and send it together with certain documents to the committee.

The Search Begins.

When these requests were not complied with, Chairman Pujo offered to send a sub-committee to New York to take testimony at the convenience of the Standard Oil man, but this bringing no satisfactory response, a summons was issued. Six process servers thereafter were engaged from time to time trying to serve the papers. This search was directed by Charles F. Riddell, Sergeant at Arms of the House, who again came here yesterday with two Deputies, F. J. S. South and R. White, to continue the attempt.

At the offices of the Standard Oil Company, and at Tarrytown and at 689 Fifth Avenue, the home of William Rockefeller, Riddell said he and his men were told that the whereabouts of Mr. Rockefeller were unknown. Despairing of reaching him they offered a truce to the attorneys for him, agreeing to refrain from further attempts to make service if he would promise to appear voluntarily. Riddell went to see John A. Garver of the firm of Sherman, Sterling & Beck, 55 Wall Street, and complained of the way Rockefeller had kept them on the "trail."

Mr. Garver said he would talk the matter over with Percy A. Rockefeller, son of William Rockefeller, and try to have him obtain his father's consent to service or agree to appear when the committee desired him to do so. Riddell expects to receive a reply from Mr. Rockefeller to-day.

Dr. Walter F. Chappell, physician for William Rockefeller, sent a certificate to the committee, about Dec. 1, stating that his patient was too ill to appear because of a throat trouble. It was apparently not sufficient to keep Mr. Rockefeller in the house, however, for he has been frequently seen in his automobile since then in the vicinity of Tarrytown.

Hunted Forty Days and Nights.

"This certificate shows that Rockefeller knows he is wanted by the committee," said Mr. Riddell last night in the Martinique Hotel, while describing the vain efforts of himself and his men to find the oil man.

"Why, one of my men tried for forty days and most that many nights to catch him. He was Michael Doyle, one of the policemen in the Capitol in Washington, who lives in Brooklyn and was formerly connected with the Sheriff's office here and the Pinkerton Agency. Mike came to me one day and declared he could make service.

"'I want a month's vacation,' said Mike, 'and if I get it I'll serve the papers and then enjoy myself with my friends in Brooklyn.' I gave Doyle leave of absence Sept. 26, but when election day came around he was still trying to find Rockefeller. He had obtained the number of Rockefeller's automobile, which he watched when he could keep up with it, and kept an eye on 26 Broadway, the Fifth Avenue home, and Tarrytown by turns. Finally on election day Doyle went to the polling place where Rockefeller usually voted, but found that he had not registered for the last election. Then Doyle returned to Washington and now he wants his vacation.

"Then Zebe Newman, assistant dispersing clerk in the House of Representatives, took up the trail. He went to Tarrytown, was admitted to the Rockefeller home, and, despite the protests of the servants, he made a search of the house for its owner. He was not found. So Zebe came back, too, and I sent four or five other men out with no better results. Mr. Rockefeller is certainly hard to find."

At Tarrytown Since the Fall.

Referring to the statement that J. P. Mackintosh, private secretary to William Rockefeller, had gone to Europe with documents wanted by the committee, Sergeant-at-Arms Riddell said he had been incorrectly quoted. "What I did say," he explained, "was that the secretary could not be found, and in view of the fact that Rockefeller has to my mind evaded service, it was probably that his secretary may be in possession of information which the committee might desire. It has been reported that the secretary has gone to Europe, also that he was in San Francisco and Mexico."

Deputy White, who said he never could find any one in charge at 26 Broadway, declared that the only persons he saw on his frequent visits to the offices of the Standard Oil Company were negro doorkeepers, who always answered his inquiries with "Everybody is out; yes, Sah."

"J. I. C. Clarke says he never saw us at the offices of the Standard Oil Company," complained White. "Of course he didn't. Those doorkeepers never would let us see anybody."

Mr. Clark said William Rockefeller had not been actively connected with the Standard Oil Company for several years.

Special to The New York Times.

TARRYTOWN, N. Y., Dec. 27.—All this talk about the trouble the process servers of the Pujo Committee are having in serving William Rockefeller is amusing to Tarrytown people, for Mr. Rockefeller has been at Rockwood Hall all the Fall, and only two weeks ago he was driving Mrs. Rockefeller in an electric car in one of the village streets. The process server passed him and did not know it. A week before Christmas representatives of the village of North Tarrytown and the town of Mount Pleasant saw Mr. Rockefeller at Rockwood Hall.

Mr. Rockefeller is very fond of motoring, but when he goes out he is so disguised that only those who know him well can recognize him. He wears ear mufflers and big goggles and sits far back in the car. Mr. Rockefeller's health has not been good.

PULLMAN COMPANY LOSES.

Appellate Division Holds It Must Safeguard Funds of Passengers.

The Appellate Division dismissed yesterday the appeal of the Pullman Company from a Municipal Court judgment, affirmed in the Appellate Term of the Supreme Court, in favor of Andrew Corrish. Corrish had $250 stolen from the pocket of his trousers, hanging in a locked stateroom on a train between New York and Montreal in the Summer of 1911. It was shown that the thief had cut through a wire screen shielding an open window of the stateroom, on the opposite side from the station platform at a way stop.

The Appellate Division holds that passengers in Pullman cars are entitled to have funds carried for the necessary expenses of travel safeguarded.

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AUSTRIAN AMBITIONS ALARM THE ALLIES

With Her Army Still on War Footing, the Dual Monarchy Presses for Adriatic Base.

ITALY OPPOSES THE SCHEME

Bulgaria Reported to be Preparing to Renew War—Turks Will Reply to Allies' Demands To-day.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—On the eve of the reassembling of the Balkan Peace Conference, when Turkey is expected to answer the allies' territorial proposal with a counter proposal, equally unacceptable, interest has shifted again to the serious question of Austria's real purposes in the Near East.

That the dual monarchy is determined to carry out some ambitious plan is thought proved by the fact that she has not yet begun to demobilize the big army which she recently called to the colors. In diplomatic circles it is believed that at the resumption of the Ambassadorial conference Thursday Austria will urge the representatives of the powers to make the territory of autonomous Albania as large as possible, and include in it Prisrend, Djacova, and even Scutari.

Meanwhile Austria is tempting Montenegro by proposing, in exchange of Austria's support of the cession of Scutari to Montenegro, that Austria have possession of the mountains dominating Cattaro, which would thus become such an impregnable naval stronghold as to make the Vienna Government the master of the Adriatic Sea.

Italy, which is the power chiefly interested, opposes such a scheme as would give her rival the coveted supremacy on the sea, which was once regarded as a Venetian lake. Russia is equally anxious to stifle the Austrian project, which, if successful, would end forever the Muscovite ambition to obtain an outlet on the Adriatic.

Montenegro regards the scheme as fatal to her very existence. The loss of the mountains above Cattaro, besides depriving her of a strong weapon against Austria, would virtually put the country in Austrian hands, as from those mountains cannon could dominate Cettinje.

Austria's project is causing among the allies dissatisfaction with the Triple Entente, which is accused of acting against its own interests in failing to defend the Balkan States. Said a member of the Servian delegation:

"The Austrian declares that he desires no territorial aggrandizement, but through his mobilization he prevents a solution of the Balkan problem and imposes the formation of Albania into territories, which Austria will seize at the first opportunity. German policy will be definitely substituted in the Orient for the Balkanic Slav equilibrium, if the Triple Entente makes this last abdication before the Triple Alliance. The Balkan Slavs realize that not even a victorious war can gain for them conditions necessary to their political, moral, and economic development, and find that their safety lies in a close understanding with Austria.

"This would cause a great transformation in the status of the Orient, as Germany and Austria, freed from the nightmare of a great Servian State, would dominate the Balkans unopposed, having in their hands the markets and a route to India. If the Triple Entente desires this, they had better say so frankly."

Turkey's reply to the demands made by the Balkan allies will be delivered to-morrow to the peace conference in St. James's Palace. She will make large demands in turn, but it is well known that Turkey has no hope of obtaining what she will ask, and has no intention of resuming a war, which may result in further disaster to her.

Reports from Constantinople that the military officers had been ordered to the Tchatalja lines caused a ripple of excitement here to-day. The explanation given is that they were sent back because the soldiers were mutinous over the officers enjoying themselves in the capital, while they were enduring hardships in the trenches.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

BERLIN, Dec. 27.—The Central Jewish Relief Association has received telegraphic advices to the effect that the Greek soldiery in Salonika are subjecting the Jewish population to great outrages.

Two merchants have already been murdered in the streets, it is said, and other inhabitants of the Jewish quarter have been maltreated. A state of panic exists, and many families are deserting their homes and fleeing for safety to near-by districts.

Wholesale plundering of the Jewish shops and homes has also been done by men of the Greek Army, it is charged.

BERLIN, Dec. 27.—Bulgaria is preparing to resume the war, according to a dispatch from Rustchuk. The correspondent says the Bulgarian War Minister has called up the recruits, due to be enrolled in 1914, and has summoned to the colors all able-bodied men up to the age of 60.

Large supplies of munitions of war and provisions have reached Rustchuk on a Russian steamer, which came up the Danube. Two other steamers brought a large number of cavalry horses and hospital supplies, and there were eighty physicians and a corps of nurses on board.

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FOUNTAIN TO WIRELESS MEN.

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At a meeting of the Phillips Titanic Memorial Committee yesterday afternoon in the office of H. H. Raymond, President of the Clyde Line, it was decided that a portion of the $3,700 collected from the public should be spent on a drinking fountain, to be erected in Battery Park, and the residue to start a fund for wireless operators. C. C. Galbraith, Chairman of the committee, said that the operators were willing to pay 25 cents a month, and form a committee to manage the fund. He added that the money would always be under the control of the Maritime Exchange, and could not be withdrawn from the bank without the signatures of H. H. Raymond, H. B. Walker, and himself.

In addition to the fountain there will be a tablet at the side with the names of Jack Phillips of the Titanic and other wireless operators, who have stuck to their posts and gone down with their ships. Mayor Gaynor will receive the committee on Monday, Jan. 6, at the City Hall to hear its request for permission to erect the fountain and tablet in Battery Park.

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The Subway to Hoyt Street Brings the Loeser Store Within 17 Minutes of Forty-second Street.

White Sale Values Briefly Bulletined.

THE THIRD DAY OF THE WHITE SALE, the big Saturday, will open with undiminished interest, with freshly replenished piles of well made, dainty garments, with a continuance of prices that amaze by comparison with the merchandise upon which they are placed.

The following briefest bulletins will prove a good index to guide the shopper:

Nightgowns, Values 50c. to $7, at 25c. to $4.98.
Combination Garments, Values 69c. to $2.98, at 37c. to $1.98.
Corset Covers, Values 25c. to $2.98, at 9c. to $1.98.
Drawers, Values 25c. to $1.75, at 12c. to 98c.
Petticoats, Values 50c. to $2, at 29c. to 98c.
Chemises, Values 50c. to $2, at 25c. to 98c.
Princess Slips, Value $2.25, at $1.50.
Under Petticoats, Values 59c. to $1.75, at 39c. to 98c.
Aprons, Values 29c. to $1.50, at 19c. to 98c.
Corsets, Values $1.50 to $9, at 50c. to $1.98.
Flannelette Nightgowns, Values 50c. to $1.75, at 29c. to 98c.
House Dresses, Values $1 to $1.75, at 59c. to 98c.
Bathrobes, Values $1.50 to $3, at 98c. to $1.98.
Negligee Gowns, Value $2.59, at $1.98.
Infants' Long Slips, Values 25c. to $1.75, at 10c. to $1.25.
Children's Short Dresses, Values 35c. to $1.50, at 19c. to 98c.
Children's Drawers, Values 19c. to 69c., at 12c. to 39c.
Children's Nightgowns, Values 50c. to $1.49, at 29c. to 98c.
Imported Lingerie, Values $1.50 to $15, at 98c. to $9.98
Second Floor.

Men's Winter Underwear and Silk Socks at Low Prices.

HALF PRICE SAVINGS are not uncommon in this mid-season news. It is of considerable profit to all men to investigate their supplies and to fill their gaps.

All is standard Loeser merchandise.

75c. and $1 Underwear at 49c. Medium weight natural gray merino; also winter weight ribbed cotton. Subject to slight mill hurts.
$1 Underwear at 69c. Natural winter weight gray merino; natural gray medium weight merino; natural gray worsted medium weight.
$1.25 and $1.50 Underwear at 98c. Natural gray winter weight merino; also natural gray double-breasted Shirts.
$1.50 and $2 Combination Suits at 98c. Spring needle ribbed cotton; subject to slight mill imperfections.
$1.50 and $2 Underwear at $1.10. "Root's Tivoli" winter weight Shirts, Drawers and double-breasted Shirts; also natural gray medium weight merino.
35c. and 50c. Silk Socks at 25c. Black pure thread silk; also a splendid range of plain colors; full mercerized soles and tops.
$1 Silk Socks at 50c. Black and colored pure thread silk of excellent quality.
$1.50 Silk Socks at $1. Black pure thread silk with cotton soles; also the good plain colors.
$2.50 Silk Socks at $1.39. Black pure thread silk with hand-embroidered insteps in neat designs.

25c. to 75c. Embroidered Socks, at 10c. to 25c.
Main Floor, Elm Place.

Marcus Ward's Royal Irish Linen Paper,
9c. a Quire, Regularly 15c. to 20c.

AS A FEATURE OF OUR WHITE SALES we have secured several thousand quires of this high grade Writing Paper, part the mill's overruns and the balance the order cancellations of some large stationers.

In the lot also is some of their Ulster Linen Paper, another of their standard products. The Paper is all in white with a particularly pleasing writing surface and in the correct sizes for note or social use. It is sold regularly at 15c. to 20c. a quire, special now for **9c.**

Envelopes to match at **9c.** a package.
Main Floor. None Sent C. O. D.

Women's 35c. to $6 Silk Hose, 19c. to $2.50.

NEW, FRESH, PERFECT AND GUARANTEED SILK STOCKINGS, going now for sharp concessions on the regular prices.

They are surpluses mostly, bought for less than that what we usually pay for similar qualities. Among the many groups are:

35c. Silk Boot Stockings at 19c. Black thread seamless silk boot Stockings with mercerized tops and soles.
50c. Silk Boot Stockings at 29c. Black, white and tan pure thread full fashioned silk boot Stockings with mercerized tops and soles; spliced heels and toes.
85c. Silk Stockings at 55c. Black pure thread silk with mercerized tops and soles.
$1.50 Silk Stockings at $1. Black pure thread silk with silk or mercerized tops and mercerized soles; spliced heels and toes.
$2.50 to $3.50 Silk Stockings at $1.69 Black pure thread silk with hand-embroidered designs.
$3.50 to $6 Silk Stockings at $2.50. Black pure thread silk with hand-embroidered designs in self and contrasting colors.
Main Floor.

Plain and Fancy Mesh Veilings
In Wide Range, 29c. to $1.69 Yard.

JANUARY, FEBRUARY AND MARCH always bring extra demands for Veils, and the Loeser Store is ready with quite the largest and best stocks of new Veilings and with prices which present extra values. There are plain and fancy meshes; also popular shadow and heavy tuxedo meshes, chenille dots and others.

In black, white and every desirable color from **29c.** to **$1.69** a yard.

Chiffon Veils at 98c. to $5.98.

In all the pretty colors, some are hemstitched, others are finished with satin borders. A most pleasing range for choosing. In lengths of from 1¾ to 3 yards.
Main Floor.

After-Christmas Disposal of Hurt Books.
Prices Are Half and Even More Than Half

BELOW THE ORIGINAL. This is another one of those events which is much looked forward to because of its genuine economical possibilities.

It is quite natural in a business so vast as ours, especially during the Christmas rush, that there is a large number of volumes slightly soiled from handling. And so to keep our stocks fresh and to quickly adjust them we, each year, at this time, arrange all hurt Books on special tables and price them close to half, a full half and in some cases mark them considerably under half of the regular selling prices for quick clearance.

Among the range are a splendid assortment of Fiction, Books of Travel, Biographies, History and an excellent assortment of Juvenile Books.

The hurts consist of slightly dented corners, thumb-marked covers or some other such insignificant hurt, but in no instance is the reading matter harmed.

If you like good Literature and would enjoy buying same at a far lower price than is customary, you will be greatly rewarded for the time spent in hunting out just what suits you in this sale.

We cannot give any list of titles or prices, there are too many ones and twos of a kind. But all will be conveniently arranged on special tables in the Book Store.
Main Floor.

W. GOULD BROKAW NOW ACCUSES WIFE

$15,000 Alimony He Is Paying Is Greater Than His Present Income, He Says.

AFFIDAVIT NAMES THREE MEN

Decision Reserved on Her Application for $15,000 Counsel Fees in Her Divorce Action.

The name of William Gould Brokaw, whose marital troubles were heard first in the Supreme Court at Mineola, L. I., three years ago, when Mrs. Mary Blair Brokaw obtained a decree of separation from him and $15,000 a year alimony, bobbed up again in the courts yesterday in the action for divorce brought by Mrs. Brokaw. Neither were in court and both were represented by attorneys on an application for $15,000 counsel fees made by Mrs. Brokaw to Justice Aspinall. Decision was reserved.

Affidavits were filed by both, in which charges and counter-charges of misconduct were made. Each also denied the other's allegation. These are the first charges that Mr. Brokaw has made against his wife. The reason she gave for starting an action for divorce was that since she obtained her decree of separation in February, 1910, she has been shadowed constantly by sleuths, who followed her in her travels in this country and in Europe. As a result of this espionage she asserted that she was on the verge of nervous prostration.

Mrs. Brokaw's divorce suit was begun last May at Mineola, where the trial of the action will take place. Since she separated from her husband she has made her home with her father at Westbury, L. I. She is now said to be traveling in Europe. Mr. Brokaw is in Paris.

Named Three Co-respondents.

The first co-respondent named by Mrs. Brokaw is Estelle Perry, alleged to have been on Mr. Brokaw's yacht when he made a trip from New York City to New London, Conn., in July, 1908. Mrs. Brokaw names as witnesses Walter Bilford, secretary to Mr. Brokaw, and August Gignet, the defendant's valet. It was a telephone message accidentally answered by Mrs. Brokaw at her Great Neck home that apprised her of this trip.

Another co-respondent named is Mabel Weeks. According to the charge, the defendant and Mabel Weeks were in an automobile party to Stamford, Conn., in September, 1908. The third instance of misconduct is said to have occurred on the steamship Kaiser Wilhelm II. in April, 1909. The co-respondent named is Mlle. Susanne Setty

According to the story told by the steward to the attorney, three persons took staterooms on the vessel. One was a Dr. C. Renz, who occupied stateroom No. 110. Also in this stateroom was a man who was registered on the trip as Dr. W. Potter. In the adjoining stateroom, No. 109, was Mlle. Setty. Attorney Baldwin asserted that he learned from his informant that after the trip began Dr. Potter changed staterooms, occupying No. 108, and requested that no record of the change be made.

Says Dr. Potter Was Brokaw.

After this Dr. Potter and Mlle. Setty were often seen together. They frequently dined together, and the two drank "much champagne" in her stateroom. Mr. Baldwin asserts that when he returned to this country from Europe he looked up the office at Washington, D. C., where they booked passage, and learned that Dr. Potter was none other than Mr. Brokaw, husband of his client.

Mr. Brokaw speaks of three men in the counter-charges he makes against his wife. He alleges misconduct in March and April, 1910, with Alex von Hockwacker, "a supposed German Baron," at Westbury, L. I. He also charges misconduct with Maurice Gray at the Bau Rivage Palace Hotel, Ouchy, Switzerland, in May, 1910, and with an unidentified man at Camp Harding, Colorado Springs, in October, 1909.

Opposing his wife's application for $15,000 counsel fees, Brokaw says that he has paid her $41,000 since their separation, and that the alimony of $15,000 is more than his income now, which is only about $11,000 a year. He complains that he has met with losses and that his debts have accumulated. Mrs. Brokaw in her divorce action makes it plain that she does not ask for an increase of alimony. Mr. Brokaw says she is in a better financial condition than he is at present. He further alleges that she has not been a resident of this State since May, 1910.

Mr. and Mrs. Brokaw were married in September, 1907, at Chittenango, N. Y., and went to live at Great Neck, L. I. They moved later to the Leonari Apartments at Madison Avenue and Sixty-third Street, Manhattan. Marital difference between the two began a few months after they were married, according to Mrs. Brokaw, she alleging at the time she sued for separation that he was insanely jealous of her and treated her cruelly. In her petition for alimony, Mrs. Brokaw alleged that her husband was worth $4,000,000 and had an income of $200,000 a year.

MURDERER ACCUSES WIDOW.

Woman Admits Urging Farmhand to Kill Her Husband.

MACON, Ga., Dec. 27.—Mrs. James King, widow of the owner of one of the largest plantations in Georgia, was arrested to-day after Nicholas Wilburn, a farmhand, had confessed, according to the police, that he killed James King because Mrs. King promised to marry him and give him $600 if he would do it.

Mrs. King to-night admitted that Wilburn's story was true.

King was shot Dec. 12 while hunting. Investigation led to the arrest of Wilburn and a negro, James Barber, who, the police say, has stated that Wilburn told him he was going to kill King. Mrs. King is 42 years old and Wilburn is 25. In his confession to-day to the police Wilburn is quoted as saying:

"Mrs. King offered me $600 to kill her husband. She said she wanted to get rid of him, and promised to marry me if I killed him. He had $2,000 life insurance. On Dec. 12 she told me that Mr. King had gone hunting, and for me to shoot him. I followed him, and when he stopped to rest I sneaked up behind him, grabbed his gun and shot him.

"I put his gun in his hand, and arranged the body so as to make it look as if he had shot himself, and then went back to the house and told Mrs. King what I had done. She said I was a good boy."

Mrs. King is the mother of six children. Her oldest daughter married a brother of Wilburn.

JEALOUS BOY SHOOTS GIRL.

Fifteen-Year-Old Lad Kills His Cousin and Then Himself.

Special to The New York Times.

MILLBURY, Mass., Dec. 27.—Jealous because of attention paid to his cousin, Clara Lemay, a girl of fourteen, by other boys, Charles Adams, 15 years old, shot and instantly killed the girl to-day, as she was about to enter the Cordis Mill, where they were both employed as spinners.

The boy then ran into the building, reloaded the old-fashioned shot gun, with which he had committed the crime, and shot himself. He died while being taken to the hospital.

The tragedy occurred when the four hundred employes of the big mill were on their way to work, and the plant was closed for the day.

The girl who was a church worker and a member of the Millbury Baptist Church, was shot as she was going up the stirs to the weaving rooms.

The boy was found by two of the mill employes on the floor of the weaving room. He was conscious when Medical Examiner Frederick H. Baker arrived, and admitted killing the girl by a nod of his head.

The girl is the youngest daughter of Mrs. Victoria Lemay, a widow, while the boy was one of the family of seven children of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Adams.

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Nothing succeeds like success.

Year after year we are selected to conduct the biggest of building enterprises, and of late years there has been something almost uncanny in the frequency with which we have been selected to conduct the greatest building enterprises of our time.

There must be some extraordinary reason to account for such an extraordinary state of affairs.

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GIMBELS

The YEAR-END SALE in Progress
Final Economy Event of the Year

This is one of the chief economy occasions of the entire year. Every section of the store is making a drastic clean-up of merchandise that thousands of people will be glad to possess at such wonderfully low prices as rule in this sale. Come EARLY Today for your share of the good things.

Do a Little Sum in Subtraction
To Find Your Savings on These

Men's Overcoats and Suits At $16.50, Usually $25 & $30

Answer—$8.50 to $13.50 according to the style you pick. The saving is based on *regular* Gimbel prices, so the comparison is fair. For the Overcoats and Suits—every one of them in desirable Winter style—either come from our own stock, or are identical in quality with it and from the same makers.

SUITS in many fabrics, plain and fancy, in conservative models, or with soft lapels, and a generally English cut.

OVERCOATS in Chesterfield and Storm Coat styles—the former mostly in black, the latter in chinchillas, plaid back and warm-without-weight fabrics.

All sizes, 33 to 48 in each group, and all at **$16.50**, whether of $25, $28 or $30 quality.

This Sale is planned to happen at that critical point just after Christmas when the need for new Winter clothes is pronounced, but when the purse is feeling feeble. So the savings of a third to nearly one-half is most opportune. **Fourth Floor**

You Can Congratulate Yourself
When You Unpack Your Purchases
Of Shirts and Pajamas
From This Gimbel Annual Sale for Men

First, you may be positive that as far as style, patterns and colorings go, they are correct and desirable.

Second, that every garment in the huge gathering was NEWLY and ESPECIALLY made for GIMBELS—no job-lots, left-overs or mavericks.

Third, that there is a definite and tangible saving of ONE-QUARTER to ONE-THIRD on every item in the lot—as you can check up for yourself, by comparing these Shirts and Pajamas with the qualities you can usually buy for the same money.

Sledding may be a little bit thin today in some of the smaller and higher-priced lots in the following list. But, in general, there are splendid assortments; for we gathered liberal quantities in preparation for the Sale.

The Men's Shirts
Of colored percale, plain or pleated, 75c.
Of colored percale and madras, at 95c.
Of white muslin, plaited cambric bosom, at 95c.
Of fancy madras, plain or plaited bosom, at $1.25.
Of mercerized fabrics, soft cuffs, at $1.35.
Of satin-striped mercerized cotton, at $1.65.
Of silk-and-cotton, soft cuffs, at $2.25.
Of pure silk, soft cuffs, at $3.75.

The Men's Pajamas
Of white madras, at $1.
Of mercerized cotton, $1.15.
Of domet flannel, at $1.15.
Of Russian cord cloth, $1.95. Main Floor

Extra!--Added Starters Among the Pajamas!

These came too late to be incorporated in the first announcement of the Sale, but will prove welcome news for today.

Plain-Colored Mercerized Pajamas, $1.35
This is the best plain-colored cloth in lustre, softness, fineness and service known to makers of Pajamas. Sold in most stores at $2 and $2.50 a suit. $1.35 establishes a new low price for these Pajamas—over *our* counters, at least.

$2 Striped Mercerized Madras Pajamas, $1.35.
White or tan grounds. Regular $2 quality.

Luxurious Silk-Mixed Pajamas, $2.75
Handsome stripes, silk loops, surplice neck; the lowest price for which we have ever sold silk-mixed Pajamas.

$1.50 Mercerized Cotton Pajamas, $1
Blue, tan, gray and pink, in over twenty self-striped or figured patterns; silk loops, pearl buttons and military collars. Main Floor

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BROADWAY NEW YORK THIRTY-THIRD STREET

"Better Goods for the Same Money or the Same Goods for Less Money Than Elsewhere."

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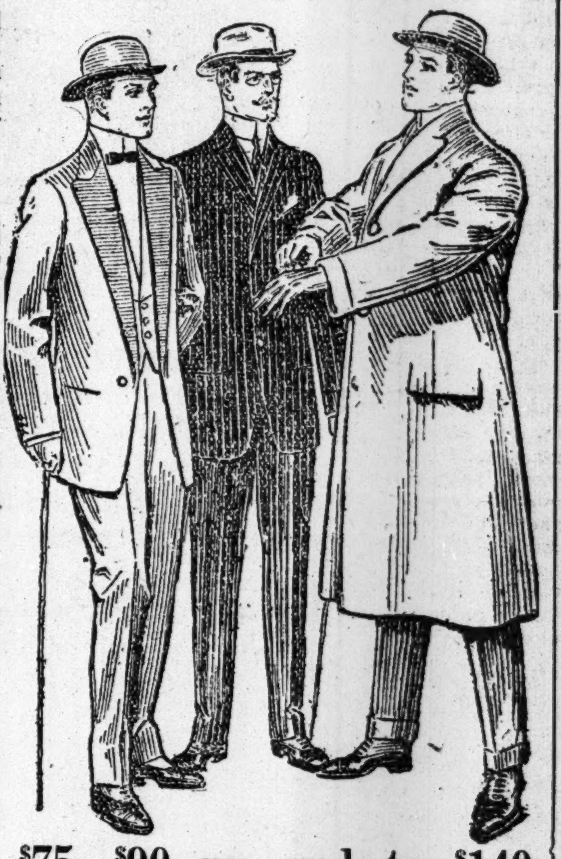
MAIN BUILDING

Men's Overcoats and Suits

Priced $20 to $30 Less Than a Week Ago, On Sale Today, at $15

A big out-of-the-ordinary event that will undoubtedly hit a great many men just right. As these garments were selected from our own superb stocks, it is not necessary to dwell on the desirability of the styles and materials or the perfection of workmanship.



The Overcoats
All the most fashionable cloths, including blue, brown, gray and tan chinchillas; fur-trimmed fancy gray and brown overcoats; plaid backs; in fact, an overcoat to suit any taste in every correct style and length. Values to $30; today, at.................. $15

The Suits
Young men's English models, men's conservative sack suits, men's and youths' finest winter-weight blue serges and a number of gray, tan and brown silk mixtures. Values up to $30; today, at.. $15

$15 to $20 Suits & Overcoats at . . $12
$20 Silk-Lined Full-Dress Suits and Tuxedos; $20 Frock Coats and Vests; Youths' $15 to $20 Fancy Suits; Men's $15 to $20 Suits, and 250 Odd Winter Overcoats for Men and Youths.

A "Flyer" at $20
Men's suits, values to $35, including all our finest R. B. Fashion Clothes suits where the sizes are the least bit broken; ALSO $35 fur-trimmed overcoats, $30 fancy overcoats and $25 to $35 overcoats made from finest foreign and domestic overcoatings. All sizes; choice, at......................... $20

Fur-Lined Coats, at $55, $75, $90 up and to $140
We show extensive lines of men's fur-lined coats with natural muskrat and blended muskrat lining; also with marmot and Jap mink lining. (MAIN Building, Second Floor.)

Scores of Other Big Sales
of timely importance will be held in other departments throughout both of our magnificently stocked buildings.
"The Big Store" is New York's Best Economy Store.

Double S&H Green Trading Stamps Before 12 o'Clock—Single Thereafter — *IN NEW YORK'S SHOPPING CENTER*

An Uncalled for Strike Agitation

THE Clothing Trade Association is a body of representative firms engaged in the manufacture of clothing in New York City, and has been in existence for many years.

Its object is to prescribe reasonable hours of labor in the shops of its members; to pay a fair and equitable wage to employees, and to encourage the best and most sanitary conditions in its shops.

It has never made any discrimination for or against union labor, but has always stood uncompromisingly for the open shop.

Each member of the association is pledged to hear and adjust any grievance of its employees.

Because of the recent rumors and agitation, each member has investigated the situation in his own factory, and finds that the sentiment of his employees is to remain at work, and avoid the hardship of unnecessary and unwarranted stoppage of employment. The employees further state that they will continue working unless they are intimidated or coerced.

The association is informed that this agitation was initiated to prevent a rival trade union from gaining a foothold in the clothing trade.

New York Clothing Trade Association

THE TIMES'S DAILY WIRELESS AND CABLE DISPATCHES

SAY PENFIELD WILL GET BERLIN POST

Reports in the German Capital That Wilson Will Name New Yorker as Ambassador.

HAS SERVED AS DIPLOMAT

William Bayard Hale, Who Wrote Wilson's Biography, Also to Have Diplomatic Appointment, It Is Said.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

BERLIN, Dec. 27.—According to confidential advices which have recently reached Berlin, Frederic Courtland Penfield of New York is to be regarded as a strong probability for Ambassador to Germany under Wilson.

According to the same information, William Bayard Hale is also likely to obtain a high diplomatic appointment.

Apropos of the irresponsible statements published in the German press, to the effect that John Hays Hammond would be designated by President Taft to succeed Ambassador Leishman, who was to be sent to London to succeed Whitelaw Reid, The Continental Times, an Anglo-American weekly published in Berlin, will say to-morrow:

"Judging from the remarks credibly attributed to the Kaiser, Hammond would have small chance of acceptance by the German Government as Ambassador to the Berlin Court.

"When Hammond visited Berlin in the Winter of 1911, the Kaiser expressed himself forcibly in regard to Hammond's participation in the Jameson raid. He said, in effect, that any foreigner who mixed himself up as Hammond did in an affair which solely concerned two nations with which he was not identified, the British and Boer, could hardly possess the talents requisite for a diplomat."

Frederic C. Penfield has served before in the diplomatic service. After spending five years on the editorial staff of the Hartford Courant he was appointed by Cleveland vice-Consul General to London in 1885. In 1893, during Cleveland's second term, he was made Diplomatic Agent and Consul General to Egypt with the rank of Minister Resident, and served for four years. He has travelled extensively and been a long time student of diplomacy and international politics.

Mr. Penfield married for his second wife Mrs. Anne Weightman Walker of Philadelphia, chief owner of the extensive drug business left by her father.

SEES PERIL TO ST. PAUL'S.

Cathedral Architect Protests Against the Building of a Subway Near.

By Marconi Transatlantic Wireless Telegraph to The New York Times.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—The question of danger to the stability of St. Paul's Cathedral, which has agitated the minds of Londoners for many years, has been reopened by a proposal which, if carried out, wil be, according to Mervyn MacArtney, the architect to the cathedral, the most serious peril that has ever threatened Wren's magnificent structure.

The London County Council, in the face of repeated warnings, is pushing forward a scheme to build an underground tramway close to the structure. It has already bought a block of buildings near the cathedral at a cost of $1,500,000 for the purpose of starting the subway work, and will, if necessary, bore to the depth of twenty-one feet, only four feet above the actual foundations of the cathedral, and only sixty-five feet from the east end of the cathedral, which is the weakest part of the edifice.

Mr. MacArtney in an interview on the subject, says:

"Tunnels or excavating work of any kind would tend to disturb the water lodged in the subsoil and drain it off. Only so long as the subsoil remains unaffected will the safety of St. Paul's be certain. This danger of draining the subsoil has been pointed out by expert after expert. Longman spoke of it in 1874, and Penrose in 1890.

WILSON'S BOOK IN GERMAN.

"The State" Likely to be Published in Thomas's Translation.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

BERLIN, Dec. 27.—Woodrow Wilson's book, "The State," will shortly appear in a German translation, if negotiations now under way are brought to a conclusion. The President-elect has given his consent to the project and has authorized Guenther Thomas, the Berlin representative of The New York Staats Zeitung, eventually to proceed with the translation.

Mr. Thomas, who is also the translator of Dr. David Jayne Hill's "World Organization," recently contributed a striking character-sketch of Gov. Wilson to Die Woche, Germany's leading weekly review. The publication brought forth letters from prominent Germans both in the Fatherland and in Austria expressing a lively desire for the issuing in Germany of an edition of some work of the Governor revealing graphically his conception of government and politics.

GUESSING NEW YEAR HONORS.

Mrs. Humphry Ward May Receive Recognition, Also Forbes-Robertson.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—The honors to be conferred by King George on New Year's Day have given rise to some interesting rumors.

The vacancy roll of the Order of Merit naturally creaates the greatest speculation. The name of Mrs. Humphry Ward, the writer, has been mentioned in this connection, but it is likely that, while she will receive some recognition, this greater honor will go to some member of the British Academy. Many people would like to see Sir Aston Webb, the architect, become the successor to the late Sir Lawrence Alma-Tadema as a member of this order. It is said that John S. Sargent, the American artist, would have received it had he become a British subject.

Johnston Forbes-Robertson, the actor, it is said, will on this occasion be dubbed a Knight.

Prince Arthur of Connaught, son of the Duke of Connaught, Governor General of Canada, is due to receive a dukedom, probably that of Kent, but this may be postponed until the King's birthday.

New peerages will be few and all of them outside of Parliament, as the Government is not willing to run any further risk of losing bye-elections.

WHAT'S GOOD FOR CHARLIE'S LADY? Red Cross Cough Drops. 5c. per box.—Adv.

REARREST CARUSO'S RIVAL.

Italian Police Imprison Romati, ex-Chauffeur, on Young Girl's Charges.

By Marconi Transatlantic Wireless Telegraph to The New York Times.

LONDON, Saturday, Dec. 28.—The Daily Chronicle's Milan correspondent sends this dispatch:

"Caruso's ex-chauffeur, Romati, who, it will be recalled, eloped some time ago with his employer's friend, Ada Giachetti, in his employer's automobile, and was recently condemned at Milan to ten months' imprisonment as the organizer of a perjury plot against the tenor, was again arrested to-day on a serious charge.

"While out on bail, pending his appeal, Romati made the acquaintance of a young woman of good family at Gallarate. After giving a promise of marriage he persuaded her to sell some property for the purpose of financing a school of aviation for the upper classes, which he said he was commissioned to organize.

"No sooner had the money been obtained than Romati prevailed upon the girl to leave home and run away with him to Varese, where till just before Christmas they stayed at the girl's expense.

"Romati, according to the young woman's statement, then excused himself, saying that he must spend the Christmas season with his family in Brescia. When, however, some days elapsed without any tidings of him, she discovered that on leaving her he had taken £100 ($500) from her cash box. She then came to Milan and gave information to the police.

"Romati was arrested, having, apparently, been hiding in Varese, only a few streets from where he had abandoned the girl. This afternoon he was brought to Milan prison in irons."

German Shipping Dividends Rise.

By Marconi Transatlantic Wireless Telegraph to The New York Times.

HAMBURG, Dec. 27.—The shipping companies' estimates of dividends for 1911-12 show a rise from 9 to 11 or 12 per cent. for the Hamburg American Line, of 5 to 7 or 8 per cent. for the North German Lloyd, and of 15 to 20 per cent. for the Hansa Line.

LIGHT ON NAPOLEON'S DEATH

Dr. Chaplin Says He Died of Cancer Developed from Ulcer.

By Marconi Transatlantic Wireless Telegraph to The New York Times.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—Dr. Chaplin, Fellow of the Royal College of Physicians, in a book just published, entitled "Illness and Death of Napoleon Bonaparte," reveals a veritable tragedy of error on the part of the physicians who attended Napoleon at St. Helena. Dr. Chaplin, by examining the original records of the confidential medical reports, is able to present in the light of modern medical knowledge the "time account" of the closing days of the Emperor.

Dr. Chaplin's conclusion is that Napoleon suffered, in the first instance, from chronic ulcer of the stomach, from the edges of which cancer developed about seven or eight months before his death. There are strong reasons for believing that Napoleon was not suffering from cancer, as has hitherto been generally believed, throughout his illness of three years and seven months. The probable date at which the cancer was developed was October, 1820.

A pitiful feature of the story is that the doctors who attended Napoleon were divided by political bias into two opposite camps. Thus they diagnosed the illness wrongly and treated it mistakenly. Automarchi, for example, administered emetics, which must have inflicted excruciating pain. The British doctors would have it that there was little or nothing wrong with Napoleon, and that his disease was "diplomatic."

BRITISH DOCTORS YIELDING.

Lloyd-George Insurance Plan Is Steadily Gaining Adherents.

By Marconi Transatlantic Wireless Telegraph to The New York Times.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—Physicians continue to give in and agree to the terms of the State Insurance act.

In London nearly all the medical men needed to serve on boards have been obtained. The reports from the provinces are equally encouraging to the Chancellor of the Exchequer.

Two more members have resigned from the council of the British Medical Association because of their disapproval of its tactics.

FURS FOR EVERY FUNCTION.

Paris Beauties Have Separate Sets for Different Hours of the Day.

By Marconi Transatlantic Wireless Telegraph to The New York Times.

PARIS, Dec. 27.—Despite the mildness of the Winter, Parisians have never worn such a wealth of furs as are now displayed by those who can afford them. Women keep separate sets of furs for morning, afternoon, and evening wear. Before noon astrachan is worn. When madame goes shopping or makes calls in the afternoon she prefers mink or skunk. In the evening she has a décolleté costume lightly trimmed with ermine, white fox, or chinchilla.

The complexion of the wearer must be taken into account, for, while Southern beauties enjoy the advantage of looking well in all kinds of furs, the woman with fair hair looks best in blue fox, moleskin, or some gray fur. Chestnut hair harmonizes with skunk, while otter goes with auburn tresses.

Fur has also largely replaced felt in hats, the favored combination being skunk for the outside and chinchilla for the under side of the toque.

TO MARRY WASHINGTON GIRL.

Capt. Stigand of England Engaged to Miss Nancy Neff.

By Marconi Transatlantic Wireless Telegraph to The New York Times.

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MR. BRYAN'S MOTIVE.

There are many reasons for the belief that Mr. Bryan wrote with malice prepense his Commoner article advising the "progressive" Democrats in Congress to disregard the principle of seniority in committee assignments in the Senate and House, to the end that none but trusted "progressives" may get the Chairmanships and the places that control the committees. One of the best of these reasons is the fact that the progressive Democrats in the Senate have already under consideration a plan very different from that of Mr. Bryan, quite the contrary, indeed, which they have tried to make acceptable to all Democrats, "progressive" and the other sort included, in order that it may be adopted. This plan was described in our Washington dispatches yesterday morning. It is based on the assurance that the Committee on Committees, which will make the assignments in the Senate, "will "permit a conservative who is in line "for appointment as Chairman to become Chairman, while other majority "places will be given to progressive "Democrats, so that the progressive "element, now counted as twenty-"seven, will control every committee." That is a reasonable plan, a course which would naturally be followed. If the "progressives" control the caucus, it is not unreasonable that they should seek majority control in the committees.

That is not at all Mr. Bryan's idea. He recommends that the Democrats who have seen service, who by the rule of seniority are entitled to some consideration, should be pitched neck and heels out of their committees to make places for good Bryan men. The difference is not one that can be overlooked. The plan now on its way to adoption by Democratic Senators would preserve and promote harmony, unity of action. Mr. Bryan's plan would divide the Democrats of the Senate and of the House into hostile camps, into two factions warring upon each other and making it impossible to carry out any rational policy of Congressional action. It is not easy to resist the conclusion that Mr. Bryan's advice was given with intent to make mischief.

We pointed out yesterday some of the consequences of following his evil counsel. We find support for the views then expressed in an article by Judson C. Welliver in Munsey's Magazine for January, from which we quote:

> To take a group of veterans like Simmons, Martin, Bankhead, Johnston, Swanson, Clarke, Smith, and the rest of them, and deliberately shear them of the position, prestige, and power to which they have risen under the old seniority rule, would be to kick them downstairs and fairly drive them into insurrection against the new order. The caucus might do that, but it will not. It dare not. It cannot court the bitterness, the persistent hostility, the antagonistic votes of these men.
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> To do so would be suicide. There will be probably from 200 to 300 roll calls in the Senate during the consideration of a tariff bill alone, and other hundreds on many other vital questions during the next four years. Without the loyalty of these men no Administration programme can be put through. They must be held in line. The tariff revision of 1894 was converted into "perfidy and dishonor" because four Democratic Senators declined to act with their party's slender majority. To invite, to insist upon, to demand the intense acrimony of three times that number of resourceful veterans at the very outset of a difficult undertaking would be political hara-kiri.
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> There will be no repudiation of these old-time leaders. That much may be set down as settled. The word of the radical chieftains is already given on that point. They realize the political impossibility of such a course.

This view of the matter has the manifest advantage of being in accordance with the view of the Democratic Senators and members of the House. It was to avoid these very disasters that the progressive Democrats of the Senate devised their reasonable and moderate plan of committee assignments. With a majority of only two or three at most in the Senate, the Democrats are well aware that it would be a policy of destruction to begin by giving offense to half a dozen or more Senators. It is all-important to the Democratic Party that the record of the coming session and of sessions to follow should be one of real achievement, and that can come only through united action. The record the Administration is to make, and its success in winning the approval and confidence of the people, depend, too, and in a large measure, upon the ability and the readiness of Congress to support its policies.

The quality of Mr. Bryan's advice, and his choice of the time for giving it, fully justify the belief that, for reasons of his own, Mr. Bryan is not an enthusiast for Democratic harmony and a record of achievement. The merit of the seniority custom is not under discussion. The real question is, What does Mr. Bryan's Commoner article mean? To us it means plainly that he does not expect to be a member of Mr. Wilson's Cabinet. Since he is not invited to take part in building up the fortunes of the party, he feels quite free to devote himself to the work of tearing down. For that he is qualified by long experience.

THE INTOLERABLE SLUSH.

It is not straining either courtesy or the truth to say that the Street Cleaning Department's manner of dealing with the Christmas Eve snow has been disappointing. Only Broadway as far north as Fifty-ninth Street has been cleared of the accumulation of ice, slush and dirt which results from a snowfall in this city. The condition of Fifth Avenue is shocking, while that of the other main thoroughfares is worse, and practically no effort has been made to remove the obstacles to traffic on many if not most of the side streets.

Everybody knows that a snowstorm at Christmas time is a misfortune to the Street Cleaning Commissioner. It is practically impossible to get together a force of extra men when free Christmas dinners are being served by many charitable organizations and the bread lines are most attractive. Boxes containing sandwiches and pie are given to the men on the lines, in addition to the loaves of bread, on Christmas, and there are gifts of money for many of the unfortunates. Mr. Edwards had his regular force at work before the storm was over, but we do not remember when the condition of important and much traveled streets in New York was much worse than it was three days after the Christmas snow.

We have endeavored to express the dissatisfaction of the taxpayers as politely as possible. The subject is now uppermost in common conversation, and the remarks we have heard about Mr. Edwards and his department have not been polite. The Street Cleaning Commissioner has contributed to The Tribune a somewhat glowing account of the improved methods he intends to employ in 1913. It is a great pity that he did not get his new system ready for use in the last week of 1912.

THE COST OF FEAR.

With the cost of war, and of preparation for war, we are generally familiar. Death and wounds and sickness have been the ghastly features of the former, the waste of labor and the burden of heavy taxes are the recognized economic effects of the latter. But the people of Austria are now sharply feeling the harm that comes from the mere menace of war when conditions make the menace serious.

A couple of months ago, for reasons that have never fully been explained, the Austro-Hungarian Government determined to pick a quarrel with Servia, one of the Balkan allies. Besides bellicose utterances in the press and ominous intimations by the Ministers in the Austrian Parliament, incidents of improper treatment of Consuls by Servian Generals were grossly magnified and proclaimed as offensive and provocative. The desire of Servia for a port on the Adriatic was denounced as intolerably pretentious. The Imperial armies along the Servian frontier and the frontier of Russia, the possible backer of Servia, were mobilized or prepared for mobilization. All Europe trembled at the consequences should Russia and Austria come to blows. Exactly what influences were brought to bear to prevent this catastrophe will not be known until history unlocks the secrets of diplomacy. Much undoubtedly was due to the resolutely pacific spirit of Russia, and the Government of Servia conducted itself with surprising discretion and "correctness." A fortnight since Austria-Hungary found that nothing serious had happened to her Consuls and that Servia was ready to leave the matter of an Adriatic port to the decision of the Powers.

But in the meantime the peasants of Galicia, along the Russian border, where war, if it came, would come first, were seized with panic which spread over nearly the whole of Austria. Deposits in banks, and especially in the savings banks, were withdrawn on a large scale. By the reckoning of the Secretary General of the State Bank some $65,000,000 found its way "to the stocking," while in commercial and industrial centres the pressure for loans became very urgent. Bank reserves were strengthened. All productive enterprises were checked, trade fell off everywhere, and, at what should have been the busiest season of the year in Vienna, 25,000 workers were thrown out of employment.

Inevitably those felt the burden imposed by these conditions most who were least able to bear it. While the class from whom officers are drawn are complaining that their young men are, at the holiday season, ordered to "a "lonely Christmas in the snows of "Galicia or on the bleak banks of the "Danube," the operatives and the peasants feel, not only the absence of their bread-winners, but the suspension of employment, with the pinch of actual privation that it brings. So far as appears, all this disturbance and injury could have been avoided. What the rulers of Austria-Hungary have accomplished could have been attained through negotiation in good faith, inspired by a desire to keep the peace and to serve the real interests of the people of the empire. At the present retarded stage of the evolution of true civilization, such costly sacrifices may be inevitable, but every recurrence of them should be an object lesson for the instruction of public opinion.

RACING IN THE STREETS.

The letter to The Times from President Coudert of the National Highways Protective Society, appearing in another column, will be read attentively by the public. It should have the attention of Governor-elect Sulzer and the coming Legislature.

Mr. Coudert argues eloquently that the Legislature could never have intended to place this city at the mercy of incompetent and speeding automobilists. But he shows conclusively that, by the ruling of the lower courts, the great population that uses the street crossings walks at its peril, and that drivers may race along the streets with impunity. Pretty nearly everybody has been shocked by their recklessness, but only lately has the community awakened to the fact that the State law is not applied here, that the city ordinances are ineffective.

The fitness of every driver, be he chauffeur, owner, or borrower of a motor car, should be tested, and he should be required to get a license, revocable upon violation of the law. This is but one of several capital requirements described by Mr. Coudert that must be imposed before the slaughter in the streets can be adequately checked.

YESTERDAY'S MONEY MARKET.

"Money," meaning the right to draw bank checks, was quoted yesterday at 12 per cent. and also at 1½ per cent., and nobody seemed to see anything either funny or remarkable about it. A money market in which such things can happen under any conditions is derisory, signifying nothing except that such things ought to be impossible. How can anybody do business with such a range for credit? How can any foreign observer of our affairs know whether we are undergoing a panic or are recovering from prostration when money is a drug?

It makes no difference which quotation is right when probably neither is right. Nobody trusts our money market quotations, for those who are doing business instead of trading on the Stock Exchange have other ways of knowing the state of their individual credit, and that is the money market for them. A money market quotation on which anybody in good standing can do business according to the regular custom is not known on this side of the Atlantic in the sense that it is known elsewhere. It ought not to be a coincidence merely that these not unusual quotations are made on the same day that the President-elect is said to have given party associates firm proof of his understanding of the subject, and of his intention to tackle it among his first tasks.

NEW YEAR'S EVE SPECULATION.

In Chicago ticket speculators are expecting to make large profits out of their forehanded reservation of tables in the hotels and restaurants for New Year's Eve. Thus far the chances seem to favor them. They are now asking four times the original prices for reserved tables. These tables are held until a specified hour, after which, if they are not occupied, they will be given to any persons who desire to bid farewell in the most approved manner to the sad old year. The result of this speculative venture will be eagerly watched. Speculation in restaurant tables has been thought of in New York, where anything of a progressive commercial sort is sure to be thought of. But our own speculators have lacked the grit. The hotel and restaurant men in this city say that such speculation could not be profitable, because the reservations are not transferable. But that does not seem reasonable. They want more, much more, than the money they get for reservations. They do not want unoccupied tables. The Chicago idea exactly fits the custom of showing out the old year with extravagant eating and drinking and much frivolity.

In New York, as in Chicago, we are to have the same sort of revelry as the clocks strike the last hour of 1912. "Only wine" will be drunk in any of the places it is worth one's while to brag about patronizing. Large quantities of unnecessary food will be consumed. For people who have already eaten the regular three meals supper is a wasteful and intemperate function. Really healthy people, who are normally hungry at the proper hours, never want supper. The consumption of needless food is as bad for health as the consumption of intoxicating liquor.

Of course, the actual number of New Year's Eve revelers is very small in comparison with the population of the city. As many persons as usual will get along with one meal in the day, or none, and all who regulate their lives in a seemly manner will avoid intemperate excess on Dec. 31 and Jan. 1, just as they do on every other day. But there are too many extravagant revelers who make the advent of each New Year the occasion for joyless mirth and ridiculous excess. If the speculators' game in Chicago works so as to compel many of the revelers to eat and drink less than they would if their reservations of tables had been less expensive, it will serve a good enough purpose, in a roundabout way, by preventing colds caused by indigestion, bad headaches, and attacks of gout and rheumatism, and there will be reason for regret that the speculators are unable to play the same game here.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES.

Wireless Across Continent. Arlington, where the Government has its largest and most powerful wireless telegraph station, is near enough to the Atlantic coast to make it possible to say with only pardonable exaggeration that the message received there Thursday night from the Mare Island Navy Yard passed from ocean to ocean, the full width of this large continent. Almost anybody, if pressed for an opinion, would admit that this achievement, like the continent, is large, but nobody seems to be at all excited by it, and the announcement in the papers of what had been done was brief and inconspicuously headed. Yet it was only a few years ago—two or three—that electricians of real eminence were denying the practical usefulness of wireless telegraphy.

No longer ago than that certain high officials in telegraph companies of the older kind were so skeptical as to the possibilities of their young rival that with what seemed to be at least half sincerity they questioned the truth of the line "by wireless" which was just then beginning to appear over some of The Times's dispatches from Europe. "How "do we know," they asked, "that these "dispatches didn't come by cable?" Soon, however, all doubt as to the practicability of wireless transmission for long distances over water became indisputable. Then unbelief took another form. "It "can never be done over any consider-"able extent of land," they said, "or at "least not with a certainty and continu-"ity to make the wireless a serious "business competitor for us."

From this second position all the doubters have not yet been driven. They dwell lovingly upon the greater opportunities for interference that the land supplies, and they are especially fond of calling attention to the enormous expenditure of energy which the sending of wireless messages requires and apparently always will require—an expenditure in comparison with which that used in performing the same service by the old-fashioned telegraphers is almost nothing. Here the skeptics are obviously on less dangerous ground, but they are by no means safe, for, theoretically at least, interference can be conquered, and the vibrators of the ether are hopeful that in time they will not be obliged, as now, to set a whole sphere of it in motion instead of the minute quantity of the mysterious fluid which lies between any two points.

Judging from present indications there is room in the field for both systems, but the possibilities of wireless are still far from all known.

Refused to Disclose the Secret. A school teacher in the group of her estimable kind that was kindly and seasonably treated to a sleigh ride by John D. Rockefeller at Tarrytown, this week, is said to have utilized the opportunity which proximity to the great man gave by asking him if he did not consider it "strange and wonderful" that he should have a big estate and three great houses, while she had only a six-by-nine room in a village flat.

Whatever may be said as to the taste displayed by making that inquiry at just that time, it showed a commendable desire for information on a subject that has excited the keen interest of thoughtful minds—and of some not so thoughtful—in many lands and times. It is a question to which innumerable answers have been given, none of them entirely satisfactory. Presumably it has received careful consideration from Mr. Rockefeller himself, and therefore it was natural enough, if somewhat less than courteous enough, that the teacher, with her professional thirst for knowledge from authoritative sources, should have expected to hear from him something worth while.

And "Save your pennies" was all he had to say!

That was good advice, doubtless, but what had it to do with the mysteries which veil the distribution of wealth? Mr. Rockefeller, according to all accounts, including his own, did while young save his pennies with assiduity, but surely he is not so illogical, not so poor an observer of his fellow-men, as to believe or even to suspect that the saving of pennies really had anything at all to do with his present possession of a big estate and three great houses. They resulted not from the saving of pennies, but from the way he spent them after they had been saved, and that's what many an eager soul wants to learn.

SPOILED THE PLAY.

Charge for Programmes Resented; Made Audience Uneasy.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

I should like to add my voice to the protest raised by all those who have been put to the irritation of refusing to pay for their theatre programmes. I was one of a party attending a comic opera at a Forty-second Street theatre last night, and all of us, as well as most of our neighbors, sat through the entire performance without programmes. There were none to be had anywhere without paying for them, a circumstance which in itself did not conduce to that receptive and rather genial frame of mind necessary for the enjoyment of the play.

To say that last night's performance seemed to me dull as an immediate result of the lack of programmes may seem stretching the point too far to soothe one's ruffled feelings, but if the management fancies that programmes are merely a custom, a non-essential habit, it should be otherwise informed. Last night the whole audience was uneasy. That recognition of so-and-so's name who played last Spring in such-and-such, that charm of the familiar which puts one on easy terms with the cast, the author, the whole performance before the curtain is up, was entirely lacking. One tried to remember who wrote the music, and wondered were there three acts or four.

The programme has a decided psychological significance, and when, as in these amusement-ridden times, every detail which makes for the success of the play must be snatched at it will pay our theatrical managers to realize that the programme is more than a vehicle for advertisements.

S. S.

New York, Dec. 27, 1912.

Christmas Cheer for the Needy.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

The Charity Organization Society of New York greatly appreciates the splendid co-operation of The Times in bringing Christmas cheer, and, in some instances, continuing aid to such families under its care as were cited in the Sunday Times of December 15. On behalf of the society I desire to thank you most cordially.

ROBERT W. DE FOREST,
President Charity Organization Society.

New York, Dec. 27, 1912.

The Engineering Profession.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

What future is there for a young man in the engineering profession? The young man I have in mind is mathematically inclined and is to enter college this September to study civil engineering.

AARON FRIEDMAN.

New York, Dec. 27, 1912.

RACING IN THE STREETS.

End It, Mr. Coudert Says, by Stern Measures.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

As has been demonstrated concretely during the last few days, apparently a community of four millions of people finds itself without law or instrumentality to cope in any efficient manner with speeding motors recklessly disregarding life and limb. The slaughter in the streets to which you refer is indeed appalling, and yet the courts appear to be of the view that we have no law to cope with this situation.

The courts of inferior jurisdiction have held that the Callan law, the general law regulating motor vehicles in the State, does not apply to New York City, or is, at least, inapplicable where the city itself has heretofore provided by ordinance for the regulation of traffic, and the question has not yet been definitely determined by the Appellate Courts.

The Board of Aldermen has not made adequate ordinances to meet modern conditions, and, therefore, speeding motorists may terrorize the town without fear of molestation other than the possibility of paying a very small fine for violating the old ordinance against driving over eight miles an hour. This ordinance was applicable to horse-drawn vehicles and is altogether inadequate for present purposes. The result, therefore, is practical immunity from criminal prosecution unless the reckless driver causes an accident so serious that it is possible to indict him for some degree of manslaughter or criminal assault.

I do not myself believe, from an examination of the Callan law, that any such absurd result as that reached by the courts so far is necessary. The function of judicial interpretation of a statute is to ascertain the intention of the Legislature. Such an interpretation may be made in a broad or liberal spirit. It is a rule of law that where one interpretation leads to an absurd or utterly vicious result, the court will strive to interpret the statute so as to work out a result compatible with attribution of human intelligence to the Legislature.

This is not a new-fangled doctrine of the Progressives. The Supreme Court of the United States has sanctioned with approval this English doctrine of interpretation. I do not think that our Magistrates and Judges would have to struggle so severely to come to the conclusion that the Legislature intended the general automobile law to apply to the City of New York. It is true that Section 288, about which the controversy turns, provides that:

> Nothing in this article contained shall impair the validity or effect of any ordinances regulating the speed of motor vehicles, or of any traffic regulations with regard to the operation of motor vehicles, heretofore or hereafter made, adopted, or prescribed pursuant to law in any city of the first class.

This is construed as giving to the ordinance exclusive force, that is to say that where the City of New York has certain ordinances covering the question, they are to be allowed to supersede the statute. This seems to me an altogether unnecessary construction.

What the Legislature evidently intended, if we are to ascertain its intention by a general reading of the statute in the light of the evils aimed at, rather than from a mere juggling with words, was this: Ordinances in force or to be hereafter made shall be effective in so far as they do not conflict with the provisions of the general law, just as statutes are effective in so far as and only in so far as they do not conflict with the provisions of the Constitution. In this event an ordinance prescribing other limitations than that of the general law might be effective as to those limitations, but persons violating the provisions of the general law would be punishable.

This was the interpretation placed upon the former automobile law by the Court of Appeals in the case of People ex rel. Hainer vs. Keeper of Prison, 190 N. Y. 315. The question was there raised as to whether the ordinance superseded the general law, and while the court admitted that the law was not altogether clear and was susceptible of a different interpretation, nevertheless it decided that such a law should be interpreted reasonably, liberally, for the protection of the public and not in fashion to lead to an absurd result.

If, however, it turns out that the lower courts are correct and that the law, so far as the City of New York is concerned, must be considered still-born, the fault is then with the Legislature, and it is the duty of the representatives of the city immediately to ask of the Legislature an amendment of the law making applicable adequate criminal provisions to the City of New York. This should be done without a moment's hesitation or delay, and it is inconceivable that the majority of the Legislature should desire a condition of dangerous anarchy to continue longer in the streets of the metropolis.

That provision of the present law providing that a person operating a motor vehicle, who knowing that injury has been caused to a person or property, due to the culpability of the operator or to the accident, should not leave the place of the injury or accident without stopping and giving his name, residence, &c., has been declared unconstitutional by the Appellate Division of this department on the ground that it forces an individual to testify against himself. This decision was reached by a divided court, the presiding Justice and one associate holding that the mere identification of the individual who, with or without legal liability, caused the accident is not a forcing of a person to testify against himself within the constitutional provisions.

It seems unfortunate that the Appellate Division found it necessary to declare unconstitutional a provision which simply enacted that a driver who caused accidental or other injury to a person should follow the dictates of ordinary humanity. It may be that this decision will be sustained by the Court of Appeals, but it is an instance of how constitutional provisions once enacted to protect the majority against the tyranny of a minority may by legal legerdemain be construed in a fashion to make it much more difficult for society to protect itself against new dangers. The view taken by the minority of the Appellate Division would seem to be much more compatible with sound reason. At a time when thinking men generally are seriously questioning the utility of the self-crimination clause of the Constitution it seems unfortunate that the courts should extend its scope far beyond the original intent of its framers and in utter disregard of the particular historic condition which made it once a bulwark of liberty, but which has long since ceased to exist.

Statistics reveal the appalling fact that within the limits of the City of New York within the last eleven months some 230 lives have been forfeited, and in other cities the figures show a proportionate number of fatalities, indicating the necessity for better State regulation. There was in this time no epidemic within the city which claimed so many victims. Surely such a condition is absolutely incompatible with our boasted civilization.

Experience in other States leads me to believe that the principal deficiency in our existing statute is that it does not require on the part of all drivers of motor vehicles possession of licenses indicating qualification and capacity. In many of our States and in all principal European countries no person, either owner or chauffeur, can drive without such proof of capacity, while in the State of New York the owner of a car is not at present required to give evidence of any knowledge, experience, or character.

In the State of Connecticut, where the owner, as well as the chauffeur, is required to have a license, out of eighty-four revocations thirty-six were revocations of the licenses of owners, showing that, in that excellent little Commonwealth, all drivers of motor vehicles are carefully supervised and their qualifications examined.

In addition to this very important matter of qualification there are other amendments which it seems to me should be recommended to the present Legislature.

If any limitation of speed is advisable, and we think that in the great cities such a limitation is advisable, it should be made of so reasonable a character, in view of the present development and widespread use of the automobile, as to be strictly enforceable. A rate of speed not to exceed fifteen or eighteen miles an hour would, in our judgment, be reasonable and enforceable within the limits of the built-up portions of the city.

The attention of legislators to this would seem to be imperative in view of the fact that our streets appear at times to be used as motor race courses, to the consequent danger and terror of our population.

Special public attention has also been drawn, by certain very recent court decisions, to the inadequacy of the statutory provisions in regard to operating a motor vehicle by a person while intoxicated. This provision, which is contained in subdivision 3 of section 290 of the highway law of 1910, reads as follows:

> Whoever operates a motor vehicle while in an intoxicated condition shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

The same subdivision also contains the provisions in regard to "going away without stopping after an accident," which were held unconstitutional. The latter offense is made a felony, punishable by fine and imprisonment. The statute then provides a penalty of imprisonment for not less than one nor more than five years for a second conviction of either of the foregoing offenses, but it contains no specific penalty for the first offense of operating a motor vehicle while intoxicated. This would seem to make applicable Subdivision 9 of the same section, which reads:

> Any person violating any of the provisions of any section of this article for which violation no punishment has been specified, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine not exceeding $25.

This trifling fine, therefore, seems to be the only penalty which can be imposed upon conviction, as a first offense, of operating a motor vehicle while intoxicated, and the Court of Special Sessions, following a recent decision of the Supreme Court in a habeas corpus proceeding, has just held in accordance with this view. The only other consequence of the offense is that provided for by the last paragraph of Subdivision 3, by which the Secretary of State shall suspend the license or registration certificate of the person convicted, and if the conviction be not appealed from or be affirmed, revoke the license or certificate. The Secretary of State, however, may re-issue the license or certificate in his own discretion.

This failure to provide any adequate penalty for an act so imminently dangerous to human life as the operation of a motor vehicle by an intoxicated person in a crowded city street is one of the most glaring deficiencies of the present law and one which should be remedied by the Legislature at the earliest possible moment.

It would probably be well to consider the advisability of lodging in either the Secretary of State or in some board a final power to revoke licenses of chauffeurs who had been proved incompetent or unworthy. Such a law exists in some of the other States and might prove, under proper safeguards, a summary method of dealing with reckless drivers.

In conclusion, I would say that I think the difficulty will not consist so much in obtaining adequate legislation, because the situation is such in view of recent court decisions that the Legislature must clarify the statute and give it vitality as far as this city is concerned, as that it will be necessary for our citizens to insist upon a prompt and effectual enforcement of such legislation when once enacted, and this can only be done through the medium of competent Magistrates' Courts sustaining an efficient police.

FREDERIC R. COUDERT,
President National Highways Protective Society.

New York, Dec. 27, 1912.

TO-MORROW'S SUNDAY TIMES.

Many have been the hard blows struck against the Mormon Church, and some have been effective, but the hardest and most staggering is that just given by Bishop Spalding of the Episcopal Church of Utah. Summoning the scholarship of the world on Egyptology to his aid, he proves that the translations by the Prophet Joseph Smith of Abraham's writings in the Mormon book, "The Pearl of Great Price," one of the foundations of the Mormon Church, are palpable frauds and so proclaimed on the walls of every great museum of the world, including the Metropolitan in this city. Full details of the barefaced fraud by Smith will appear in to-morrow's Sunday Times.

Of all the amazing things done in the construction of the Panama Canal none is more interesting than the application of electricity to the operation of the big ditch. A full account of the intricate and mammoth electric devices whereby one man in a tower will operate the gates and draw big ships through locks by machinery that is fool proof will appear in the Magazine Section.

Dr. Leo Loeb of St. Louis has made substantial progress in the unceasing war on cancer by the use of colloidal copper. His researches mark a distinct and hopeful advance, and the results of his experiments are given in a selected number of cases in to-morrow's Times.

A delightful peep into the days of the Dark Ages is given in the English translation just made of a book written by a Chinese savant, Chau-ju-Kua, telling of the geography and the peoples of the world as they were known seven or eight centuries ago. Extracts will be found in to-morrow's Sunday Magazine.

A German author, Kurt Aram, tells in to-morrow's Times how on a wager he landed in New York with only $25 and proceeded to support himself and make his way, speaking German only, in America. His vicissitudes in getting jobs make interesting reading.

Many have been the attempts to do away with the scandals surrounding expert medical testimony in criminal trials. Some of the States have passed laws requiring the courts to appoint three experts. With one exception these laws have been declared unconstitutional. The legal difficulties of the situation are set forth by the Chief Justices of various States in to-morrow's Times.

A suggestion is made by the Zionists of an interesting peace settlement of the Balkan war whereby the City of Salonika shall be made an autonomous Jewish community, and a free port of the world. Its effect on the world's peace and the future of Palestine are brought out in timely interviews in the Sunday Magazine.

Gerhart Hauptmann, winner of the $40,000 Nobel Prize for literature this year, gives an interview praising the uplift of the humanities in this country in recent years, but also asserting that the entire world is fast becoming Americanized, "adopting from day to day the customs and inventions of the country."

F. D. Huntington, a young American builder who has done noted things on both sides of the Atlantic, draws conclusions on English and American building. He finds that British methods are better than ours in many respects, but that our workmen are more efficient than the English artisans.

Elaborate silver services have been presented to various warships of the navy which have been retired from the active list. These services have been gifts to the ships themselves, and the Navy Department is puzzled to know what to do with them. Their value amounts to nearly $500,000. Suggestions as to their disposal are made in the Sunday Magazine.

New York's newest State prison at Great Meadow is being run on the honor system, with remarkable results. It has been discovered that the great charities of New York have a system of "interlocking Directors" even more extensive than that of the financial world. Articles on these and other subjects of timely interest will appear in to-morrow's Sunday Times.

WILSON WANTS LAWS TO GIVE NEW FREEDOM

Economic Conditions Changed, He Says, and Strong Are Allowed to Crush the Weak.

MOST MEN EMPLOYES NOW

Interests Wresting Favors from Government Bring Disturbance That Might Be Fanned Into Revolution.

In the first of a series of articles entitled "The New Freedom" in the January number of The World's Work, President-elect Woodrow Wilson sounds a call for a thoroughgoing reconstruction of existing laws and government in this country to meet completely altered economic and social conditions which, he declares, render our present laws and policies of government utterly inadequate and a misfit. Large corporations, he says, standing in an impersonal relation alike to the public and the workingmen they employ, must no longer be allowed to escape responsibility to both by taking advantage of laws based on the old and no longer existing personal relation between employer and employe, the business man and his community.

A new system must be built up, under which Big Business may no longer control the Government and in which the people themselves may rule instead of "something which intervenes between the people of the United States and the control of their own affairs at Washington." He calls attention to the growth of Socialism in small towns and villages, and the possibility of some man with an eloquent tongue, but without conscience or patriotism, setting the whole country aflame.

"There is one great basic fact which underlies all the questions that are discussed on the political platform at the present moment," he says. "That single fact is that nothing is done in this country as it was done twenty years ago. We are in the presence of a new organization of society. Our life has broken away from the past. The life of America is not the life that it was twenty years ago; it is not the life that it was ten years ago. We have changed our economic conditions absolutely, from top to bottom, and, with our economic society, the organization of our life. The old political formulas do not fit the present problems; they read now like documents out of a forgotten age.

"There is a sense in which, in our day, the individual has been submerged. In most parts of our country men work for themselves, not as partners in the old way in which they used to work, but as employes—in a higher or lower grade—of great corporations. There was a time when corporations played a very minor part in our business affairs, but now they play the chief part, and most men are the servants of corporations."

The President-elect instances the existing laws with regard to the relations of employer and employe as in many respects wholly inadequate and impossible under the changed industrial conditions. Workingmen handling dangerous and powerful machinery, to their injury, work under orders of Superintendents whom the courts have held to be fellow-employes and, therefore, not liable for damages to the injured workingman; while the Directors of the corporation escape responsibility in that they themselves did not order the workingman to handle the particular piece of machinery by which he was injured.

"When I hear Judges reason on the analogy of the relationship that used to exist between workmen and their employers a generation ago," he says, "I wonder if they have not opened their eyes to the modern world. You know, we have a right to expect that Judges will have their eyes open, even though the law which they administer hasn't awakened."

The real wrongs at present, he says, are not wrongs which individuals intentionally do—"I do not believe there are a great many of those"—but the wrongs of the system.

"Since I entered politics I have chiefly had men's views confided to me privately. Some of the biggest men in the United States, in the field of commerce and manufacture, are afraid of somebody, are afraid of something. They know that there is a power somewhere, so organized, so subtle, so watchful, so interlocked, so complete, so persuasive, that they had better not speak above their breath when they speak in condemnation of it.

"I lay it very close to my own conscience as a public man whether we can any longer stand at our doors and welcome all newcomers upon those terms. American industry is not free, as once it was free; American enterprise is not free; the man with only a little capital is finding it harder to get into the field, more and more impossible to compete with the big fellow. Why? Because the laws of this country do not prevent the strong from crushing the weak. That is the reason, and because the strong have crushed the weak, the strong dominate the industry and the economic life of this country.

"'What this country needs above everything else is a body of laws which will look after the men who are on the make rather than the men who are already made.

"The originative part of America, the part of America that makes new enterprises, that middle class, is being more and more squeezed out by the processes which we have been taught to call the processes of prosperity.

"There has come over the land that un-American set of conditions which enables a small number of men who control the Government to get favors from the Government; by those favors to exclude their fellows from equal business opportunity; by those favors to extend a network of control that will presently drive every industry in the country."

Gov. Wilson points out that the result of the control of the Government by business interests is "the growth of vicious systems and schemes of Governmental favoritism (the most obvious being the extravagant tariff,) far-reaching in effect upon the whole fabric of life, touching to his injury every inhabitant of the land, laying unfair and impossible handicaps upon competitors, imposing taxes in every direction, stifling everywhere the free spirit of American enterprise."

In consequence, he finds that there has been an alarming growth of socialistic sentiment, not only in the big cities, but in the smaller towns, where often 20 per cent. of the socialist vote is socialistic, and 80 per cent. protest.

"Why are we in the presence, why are we at the threshold, of a revolution?" he asks. "Because we are profoundly disturbed by the influences which we see reigning in the determination of our public life and our public policy. Don't you know that some man with eloquent tongue, without conscience, who did not care for the Nation, could put this whole country into a flame? Don't you know that this country, from one end to another, believes that something is wrong? What an opportunity it would be for some man without conscience to spring up and say: 'This is the way. Follow me!'—and lead in paths of destruction!"

A SKIING EPISODE.

An amateur, walking on skis,
Went into a snowdrift with is,
Yes, he went right side down
On the top of his crown,
With his heels waving wild to the bris!

And he said when they righted him, "Plis
Do not urge me to use things like this.
I had rather go slow,
Right side up, don't you know,
Than be stuck in a drift till I fris."

So now it is useless to tis,
For answer he'll sniff and he'll snis;
Though he's willing to skate
And says coasting is great,
At mention of skiing he flis!

GRACE STONE FIELD.

DEBUTANTES RULE IN NIGHT OF DANCES

Mrs. C. G. Dinsmore's Ball for Miss Kate G. Willis at Ritz-Carlton Attended by 1,000.

MRS. J. B. HOYT A HOSTESS

Entertains at Sherry's for Her Daughter—Dances for Misses Grovene V. Converse and Eleanor Taylor.

There were more society dances last night than have been chronicled in any previous night of the season. The débutantes carried off the honors in numbers. Many guests went from one dance to another, and even the youthful hostess at one house dance ventured to accept an invitation to another dance to look in for a few moments.

The largest dance was that given by Mrs. Clarence G. Dinsmore at the Ritz-Carlton for her grandniece, Miss Kate Gordon Willis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Willis.

Mrs. Joseph Blachley Hoyt also had a dance in Sherry's large ballroom for her daughter, Miss Gertrude Hoyt. Mrs. James Belden Gere was the hostess at a dance at her residence for Miss Grovene Vail Converse. Howard Taylor gave the last of four Friday night dances at his residence for Miss Eleanor Taylor. All of these dances were for débutantes.

A small subscription dance for older girls was held in the Plaza ballroom, and in Sherry's small ballroom the Friday Juniors young people not yet out, had their Christmas dance.

Ball for Miss Kate G. Willis.

Mrs. Dinsmore's ball for Miss Kate Gordon Willis was a very large affair, one thousand invitations were sent out, and no old married people were asked. The dancing was in the new ballroom at the Ritz-Carlton, and at midnight a seated supper was served in the large restaurant on the main floor. The decorations throughout were palms, ferns and pink roses. The guests were received near the entrance of the ballroom by Mrs. Dinsmore in white and gold brocade embroidered in pearls and wearing diamonds and pearls; Mrs. Gordon Willis, in Nile green satin embroidered in gold, and Miss Willis, in rose pink satin and white lace with a sash of ashes of roses velvet.

Among those who accepted invitations were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Benkard, Mr. and Mrs. Crawford Burton, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Carle, Mr. and Mrs. Bradish J. Carroll, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cryder, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Corse, Mr. and Mrs. William B. Dinsmore, Mr. and Mrs. Paulding Fosdick, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Greer, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Gould, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hollins, Mr. and Mrs. Buell Hollister, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. V. Hoppen, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert E. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Frederic Kernochan, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Minton, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Mosle, Mr. and Mrs. Seton Porter, Mr. and Mrs. Latham Reed, Mr. and Mrs. Steward Slosson, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Thomas, and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Wagstaff.

The Misses Mary Pyne, Ethel Roosevelt, Genevieve Sanford, Vieva Fisher, Amy Johnson, Eleanor Jacob, Anne Hardon, Louisa Johnson, Jeanne King, Carolyn Kobbe, Helen Hiss, Justine Ingersoll, Winifred and Frances Ives, Helen Huntington, Isabel Hoyt, Marion Hollins, Noel Johnston, Gertrude Mall, Mildred Rives, Helen Rives, Julia Robbins, Eleanor Prentice, Lesley Pearson, Jeannette Kissel, Margaret Knapp, Dorothy Keashey, and Ruth Lawrence.

Also Dennie and Morin Hare, Harold Hartshorne, Hamilton Fish, Jr., Joel E. Fisher, Reginald Francklyn, Dudley Gautier, Richard Gambrill, John R. Gibb, J. C. Gray, S. D. Babcock, C. L. Appleton, R. L. Bacon, H. G. Barbey, Morgan Belmont, O. W. Bird, Jr., Linzee Blagden, Gerald Bonner, W. C. Bowers, 2d, Frank Crowninshield, A. D. Dodge, H. Coleman Drayton, Andre de Fouquieres, C. D. Dickey, Jr., Maunsell Crosby, Fulton and Suydam Cutting, Bertram Cruger, Eliot B. Cross, and Colles Coe.

Dance for Miss Gertrude Hoyt.

Mrs. Joseph Blachley Hoyt's dance for Miss Gertrude Hoyt included many of the season's débutantes, and was confined to the young set, 250 guests accepting invitations. It was an early dance, in the large ballroom at Sherry's, and the seated midnight supper was served in the large restaurant on the street floor. Mrs. Hoyt and her daughter received in the reception room adjoining the large ballroom. The débutante guests asked included the Misses Nancy Steele, Margaret Trevor, Edith Logan, Margaret Wagstaff, Cornelia Cammann, Elise Francke, Anna Wright, Fonrose Wainwright, Hope Hamilton, Mary and Augusta Bishop, Mary Brooks, Louise Chappell, Julia Edey, Pauline Clarkson, Audrey Osborn, Caroline Wyeth, Amy Bradish Johnson, Mary Baker, Eleanor Hartshorne, Susanne Warren, also Edith Riker, Mary Haskell, Margaret Strong, and others.

Miss Taylor's Dinner Dance.

Howard Taylor gave the last of his small dinner dances at his residence for his débutante daughter, Miss Eleanor Taylor. Among those invited were Dr. Harold Barclay and Mrs. Barclay, Mr. and Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Gerry, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. de Forest, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Cooper Hewitt, Mr. and Mrs. W. Bourke Cockran, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Cowden, Mr. and Mrs. Francis C. Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Iselin, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Iselin, Mr. and Mrs. Johnston Livingston, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Whitridge, Mr. and Mrs. J. Mayhew Wainwright, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Pell, Mr. and Mrs. Orme Wilson, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Egerton Winthrop, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Witherbee, and Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont.

Dance for Miss Converse.

Mrs. James Belden Gere's dance for Miss Grovene Vail Converse, the daughter of Mrs. L. Grovene Converse, took place at the residence of Dr. Gere and Mrs. Gere, 15 West Sixty-seventh Street, which was decorated with Southern smilax and cut flowers. The music for the dancing was the harp, cello, and violin. Supper was served at 12 o'clock. Mrs. Gere, in cersise satin, with a tunic of steel and crystal; Miss Converse in white, and Mrs. Converse received.

Among the guests invited were the Misses Priscilla Bull, Vera Van Buren, Anna Cronkhite, Elizabeth Thompson, Lilla Gilbert, Helen Hiss, Thelma Violett, Caroline Ward, Gertrude Foos, Margaret and Madeleine Smith, Agnes Duryee, Eulalia Garrison, Edna Marston, Ella Carpender, Dorothy Rennard, Marjorie Greenfield, Julia Cheney, Blanche Tyng, and Dorothy Taylor.

Also G. G. Haven, 3d, W. Travers Jerome, Jr., Vivian Palmieri, Brenton Groce, Minton Cronkhite, Guido Bartarelli, Edward Stevens, Albert Hopkins, Edward Bogert, Philip Mills, Howard Renshaw, Philip Cravath, Frederick McDonell, Charles Requa, Stanley Metcalf, Howard Gould, Guy de Mauriac, Edward Amy, Louis Amy, Jr., and Mortimer Cobb.

Subscription Dance at Plaza.

The Four Dances organized several years ago decided to have only one dance this season, and it took place in the Plaza ballroom. The patronesses are Mrs. James R. McKee, Mrs. Henry Bischoff, Mrs. Ira Barrows, Mrs. Lewis H. Lapham, Mrs. W. W. McAlpin, and Mrs. Charles W. Romeyn.

Among the members are the Misses Louise Baldwin, Mary McKee, Betty Collamore, Jeannette and Gladys McAlpin, Helen Stearns, Hazen Symington, Mildred Stillman, Eloise Talcott, Mildred Curtis, Marjorie Dodd, Mildred Holmes, Mildred Dodge, Marie Cozzens, Elizabeth Fry, Ethel Carhart, Gladys Robbins, Emma Romeyn, Beatrice Barclay, Elsie Wilson; also Ferrer Bateson, Clifford Dunning, Parker M. Hooper, Albert Hopkins, Brette and Jules Glaenzer, Frederick and Charles Inman, George Brokaw, Arthur Benson, and David Barrows.

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MRS. TWEEDIE SAILS TO-DAY.

Thirteenth Book of 13 Years' Activity a Success, Says English Writer.

Mrs. Alec Tweedie, the writer, who says thirteen is a lucky number and that the popularity of her latest book shows it, sails for Buenos Aires from New York to-day on the Vestris.

Mrs. Tweedie has made a record as a traveler and written of what she has seen in Mexico, Iceland, Finland, Norway and the South as well as in England. Her latest book, "Thirteen Years of a Busy Woman's Life," is her thirteenth. This is the author's third visit to New York, but with all her traveling, last Wednesday was the third Christmas that Mrs. Tweedie had ever spent away from her home in London.

"The first time I was at school in Germany, the second with President and Mme. Diaz in Mexico, and this one in New York. Usually I am home to give a dinner on Christmas Day, to which many diplomats come, the people who do not celebrate Christmas in their own land, and artists and musicians who are away from home.

"We celebrate Christmas as you do, only our Christmas dinner is more like your typical Thanksgiving dinner. We have none of our celebration Christmas Eve, but we hang our stockings, though that is principally for the children. Then there is luncheon in the middle of the day on Christmas, and a Christmas tree in the middle of the afternoon. All the gifts are wrapped in little packets. The house servants come in—and if it is in the country the gardeners and the outside people—and there are gifts for them all. That is different from this country. After the tree the older people go for tea and the children usually have a game and there is dinner for the older people at 8 o'clock, as usual.

"My home is in London and though I have laid my head in all sorts of queer places, from Lapland and Iceland in the north to the tropics, I have never had but two homes. I was born on Harley Street. My name was Harley before I was married. The street was named for Robert Harley, Prime Minister in the reign of Queen Anne, who afterward was made Earl of Oxford. When I was married I went to live at York Terrace, which is at the top of Harley Street, and I still live there."

Mrs. Tweedie says she wants to congratulate the United States for the parcel post it is to have. She admits there is a little malice in her congratulations. She cabled to England for some Summer clothes to take south with her and they were so long coming she had almost given them up.

Mrs. Tweedie says she has seen some very beautiful women, beautifully dressed, in America, but that there is little difference to be found between cultivated people of the upper classes in the different countries.

"We are all becoming disgustingly alike, and we are going to be more and more so," she said.

GEN. MEANY GIVES MUSICALE.

Mme. Gluck, Amato, and Zimbalist Entertain Guests at Alnwick Hall.

Gen. and Mrs. Edward P. Meany gave a reception and musicale last night at their residence, Alnwick Hall, Convent, N. J. The soloists were Mme. Alma Gluck and Pasquale Amato of the Metropolitan Opera Company, and Efrem Zimbalist, the violinist.

Mme. Gluck sang the aria from Louise, "Caro Nome" from Rigoletto, and appeared in a duet with Mr. Amato from "Don Giovanni," and she also rendered Massenet's "Elégie," with Mr. Zimbalist accompanying her. Mr. Amato's solo pieces were "Cavatina" from "The Barber of Seville," and a group of three songs: "Torna a Sorrento" by de Capua; "Carmela," by Christofaro, and de Crescenzo's "Tarantella Sincera."

Mr. Zimbalist played Wieniawski's "Faust Fantasia," and a suite of selections, including the prize song from "Die Meistersinger," Hubay's "Czardas," and his own composition, entitled "Orientale."

Among those present were:

Mrs. O. Applegate,
Miss M. Applegate,
Mr. & Mrs. C. W. Armour,
Mr. & Mrs. D. S. Bushnell,
Mrs. A. W. Bates,
Mr. & Mrs. J. T. Bates,
Mr. & Mrs. P. A. Bates,
Mr. & Mrs. J. G. Bates,
Mr. & Mrs. F. Behr,
Mrs. W. S. Bissell,
Miss Margaret Bissell,
Mrs. C. R. Boyle,
Mr. & Mrs. W. B. Blackwell,
Mr. & Mrs. O. C. Billings,
Mr. & Mrs. L. J. Brengle,
Miss Marie Boyce,
Mr. & Mrs. R. B. Bowler,
Mrs. T. W. Cauldwell,
Helen Cauldwell,
Miss Edith Cutler,
Mrs. Grover Cleveland,
Mr. & Mrs. J. Claflin,
Mr. & Mrs. H. Coghill,
Mrs. E. H. Clarke,
Miss Katherine Clarke,
Joseph B. Dickson,
The Misses Dickson,
Mr. & Mrs. T. Dickson,
Mr. & Mrs. W. N. Duane,
Mr. & Mrs. R. D. Foote,
Miss Foote,
Mrs. H. E. Fanshawe,
Mr. & Mrs. J. M. Forbes,
Mr. & Mrs. H. W. Ford,
Miss Rosetta Ford,
Mr. & Mrs. E. W. Ford,
Mr. & Mrs. L. S. Freeman,
Mr. & Mrs. H. Freeman,
Leland Garretson,
The Misses Garretson,
Miss Evelyn Harrison,
Mr. & Mrs. W. E. Frenaye,
Mr. & Mrs. E. J. Hall,
Miss Gertrude Hall,
Miss Caroline Hopkins,
Dr. & Mrs. A. C. Humphreys,
Miss H. H. Jenkins,
Mr. & Mrs. Edward O. Keasbey,
Mr. & Mrs. W. V. King,
Mr. & Mrs. E. S. Kip,
Mr. & Mrs. R. W. Locke,
Misses M. & B. Lydon,
Mr. & Mrs. D. H. McAlpin, 2d,
Mr. & Mrs. R. H. McCurdy,
Miss Mary W. Merrall,
Mr. & Mrs. B. Nicoll,
Miss Elsie Nicoll,
Mr. & Mrs. R. Neeser,
Mr. & Mrs. D. Olcott, 2d,
Mr. & Mrs. C. H. Raymond,
Miss Raymond,
Mrs. F. B. Richardson,
Mr. & Mrs. G. P. Schmidt,
Vice Chancellor and Mrs. Stevens,
Rev. & Mrs. Sturges,
Mrs. A. S. Swords,
Mr. & Mrs. H. F. Taylor,
Miss Ruth Taylor,
Mr. & Mrs. G. G. Thonson,
Mr. & Mrs. L. Thompson,
Miss Thompson,
Mr. & Mrs. E. Van Vleck,
Mr. & Mrs. G. F. Vietor,
Mr. & Mrs. J. I. Waterbury,
Dr. and Mrs. Granville White,
Rev. & Mrs. B. P. Tyler,
Mr. & Mrs. T. D. Leonard,
Mr. & Mrs. J. W. Griggs,
Mr. & Mrs. O. C. Huntoon,
Mr. & Mrs. A. Torrance.

ENGAGE FRAULEIN METZGER.

German Contralto to Sing at Two Philharmonic Society Concerts.

Felix F. Leifels, manager of the Philharmonic Society, announces the engagement for two of the regular concerts of the society of Fräulein Ottilie Metzger, a German contralto of prominence. She is a member of the opera company of Hamburg, has recently sung at Baireuth, and has taken parts formerly assigned to Mme. Margarete Matzenauer, now of the Metropolitan Opera House.

Fräulein Metzger will sing at the concerts on Thursday evening, Jan. 23, and Friday afternoon, Jan. 24, and will make no other appearances in this country.

Harvard Musical Clubs' Concert.

The 400 Harvard Alumni of Brooklyn and Long Island are interested in a concert by the Harvard Glee, Banjo and Mandolin Clubs, to be given in the Concert Hall of the Brooklyn Academy of Music the evening of Jan. 2, under the auspices of the Long Island Harvard Club. The club was organized last spring, and has already a membership of almost half of the Harvard Alumni of Long Island. The Harvard Musical Clubs are making an extensive Christmas trip through the East and South, and the Brooklyn concert is the last engagement before the boys return to Cambridge after the holidays.

THEATRICAL NOTES.

Harvey Braban will appear as Reuben in "Joseph and His Brethren" when the Louis N. Parker spectacle is presented at the Century Theatre. Others who have lately been engaged for the same piece are W. T. Carleton, Frank Losee, Olive Oliver, and Harriett Ross.

William Hammerstein has engaged Renee Parker to appear at the Victoria during the week of Jan. 13. She has never previously appeared on the stage, having been a cabaret singer exclusively.

Harry Lauder visited the Metropolitan Opera House before his own appearance last night and heard Caruso sing in "Les Huguenots." The two have been friends, but Lauder had never heard the tenor sing.

Maude Percival of the Gaiety Theatre, London, has been brought here by Charles Frohman to introduce Tango dances into "The Sunshine Girl," which he will produce in January. She will not appear in the piece, but will direct the dances. They will be performed by Vernon Castle and Julia Sanderson.

Have your automobile bodies repaired. Read Automobile Exchange, page 8.—Adv.

'LES HUGUENOTS' AT METROPOLITAN

First Appearance in America of Miss Frieda Hempel, Coloratura Soprano.

HANDSOME SCENIC OUTFIT

A Cast in Which Excellent Singers Were Not Heard to Their Best Advantage.

Marguerite de Valois	Frieda Hempel
Count de Saint-Bris	Leon Rothier
Valentine	Emmy Destinn
Count de Nevers	Antonio Scotti
Cossee	Pietro Audisio
Thavannes	Angelo Bada
Meru	Paola Ananian
De Retz	Bernard Begue
Raoul de Nangis	Enrico Caruso
Marcel	Adamo Didur
Urbain	Bella Alten
Maurevert	Giulio Rossi
Bois Rose	Angelo Bada
A Lady of Honor	Marie Mattfeld
A Night Watchman	Vincenzo Reschiglian

Conductor, Giorgio Polacco.

The management of the Metropolitan Opera House retrieved last evening one of its promises, held by some to be most alluring, when it produced Meyerbeer's "Les Huguenots." It should be, perhaps, set down as "Gli Ugonotti," since the management reversed its policy of giving operas in their original tongues, and it was presented in the Italian translation. It had been intended to open the season with "Les Huguenots," and at the same time to introduce to the New York public the German coloratura singer, Miss Frieda Hempel, new to this country, in the part of Marguerite de Valois. But her illness prevented her coming, and compelled a postponement of the opera for seven weeks.

"Les Huguenots" had not been heard at the Metropolitan for eight seasons; it was last given there under Heinrich Conried's management in the season of 1904-5; though it had been heard in New York since then, in performances which Mr. Hammerstein gave at his Opera House in 1906-7, and again in 1908-9. "Les Huguenots" was always considered a most advantageous opportunity for stirring the public pulse by grouping together in the cast numbers of the most important singers of the company. Nothing else in the existing operatic repertory permits or demands so much in this way; and the record is full of notable incidents of this kind. The last performance at the Metropolitan Opera House enlisted the services of Mmes. Sembrich, Edyth Walker, and Nordica, and Messrs. Caruso, Journet, Plançon, and Scotti.

But these are not days when a great display of pure singing can be expected, and the cast of last evening's performance was not one to bear comparison with the most distinguished ones of the past. The coming of a coloratura singer sadly needed in the company, to take the place of artists whose names are still fragrant memory, was to make the present revival of "Les Huguenots" notable. There was also to be a new and gorgeous mounting of the work in the style for which the present management has distinguished itself. It was, in fact, for both these things that the revival was accomplished.

Miss Hempel comes with a distinguished reputation, and she is expected to assume a heavy responsibility in the coming season. She is evidently an artist of large resources and accomplishments in vocal art; but it was soon made clear to the observant listener that her voice, as it was heard last evening, was not all that could have been expected of it. For this there may be reasons, denoting a temporary disability of the singer; and it would not be fair to conclude that she gave last evening of her best. She has come after a severe illness; she has had a long and tempestuous passage across the ocean. The voice lacked brilliancy and power; its upper tones sounded veiled. It had not the elements of appealing beauty. The whole impression was of a small, almost a miniature organ. It was not the voice of a great singer in the plenitude of her powers, such as was expected to assume first place in the chief establishment of lyric drama in America. But, on the other hand, Miss Hempel showed many of the admirable qualities that were expected of her. She possesses many of the graces of the coloratura singer in full measure. She had not all the ease and spontaneity of utterance in many kinds of rapid passages, as scales and arpeggios. But many of such passages she did with much skill. Most of her trills were clearly, brilliantly and evenly executed. She has a command of legato style, and much of her phrasing showed artistic intention. Her delivery of recitative was generally uncommonly good. She gave, in short, the impression of an artist laboring under difficulties; and it is to be hoped that the difficulties will be removed and the artist appear in the fullness of her powers before the season advances much further.

The performance showed how far the management is at this time from being able to present an opera of this sort with artists who are fully initiated into its style and competent to present it in the traditional manner. How far this is a cause for deep regret will depend upon the individual point of view. But Mme. Destinn was not at home in the part of Valentine, and her admirable powers were not expended upon it to the best advantage. Still less is Mme. Bella Alten competent to enact Urbain the page, or to sing his florid music. Mr. Rothier was by no means imposing as Saint Bris, and Mr. Didur made sad work of Marcel's "Piff-Paff" song, however picturesque and effective he was to the eye. Mr. Caruso did much beautiful singing as Raoul de Nangis, and acted the part with dignity and seriousness of purpose, with passion and energy, and there was cause for gratitude for much of what he did. Quite in keeping with the character of the Count de Nevers was Mr. Scotti, in distinction and elegance, though he was not in his best voice—but at least he was a figure fitting to his surroundings. This performance of "Les Huguenots" recalled many memories of occasions that were considered great, and in a way, were so; but it effaced none of them.

As to the mounting of the opera, at least, there was nothing to remember that at all equaled what was presented last evening. The scenic equipment was extremely handsome, architecturally beautiful, harmonious in line and color. The banquet hall of the château in the first act was especially rich, and the garden of Chenonceaux a scene of idyllic beauty. The costuming had been attended to with especial care, and was sumptuous.

Of the conducting of Mr. Polacco much good is to be said; he had the orchestra firmly in his grasp, and its playing was brilliant and incisive

OCEAN TRAVELERS.

Some of those sailing to-day on the President Lincoln for Hamburg are:

F. W. Bradwin, A. Clarke, Miss M. Clarke, G. S. Harrison, Mrs. F. E. Harrison, F. A. Higgins, Mrs. W. S. Hilles, Miss K. Hilles, Miss E. C. Johnson, W. A. Johnstone, Miss Sylvia Knight, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Olmstead, Arthur Robinson, Miss N. M. Sharpe, J. H. Stowe, R. L. Smith, J. D. Sloan, James Whitaker.

Among the passengers arriving yesterday from Southampton on the Majestic were:

Miss Sara Allgood, J. V. Backer, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Blackall, Mr. and Mrs. H. Caswall, G. A. Crane, M. J. Dolan, Lady A. Gregory, H. E. Hutchinson, Miss B. M. Lawson, S. J. Morgan, Charles Pearce, Miss Adeline Whitlock, and Arthur Sinclair.

To Help "The 100 Neediest."

These gifts for "New York's 100 neediest" have been made through THE TIMES: "E. H. T. D.," $2; Reader, $1; H. M. M., $5; H. B. C., $2; M. E. O. O., $5; E. L. P., $2; Cash, $10. Total, $27.

Rev. Louis Estevenon Dies in Rome.

The Very Rev. Louis Estevenon, for eight years Superior General of the order of the Fathers of the Blessed Sacrament, died in Rome on Thursday after a short illness. He founded the house of this order in this city in 1902, and was its Superior for two years, until he was called to Rome to become the head of the order. He was born in the south of France sixty-two years ago, and studied for the priesthood in the Gregorian Seminary in Rome. Father Estevenon founded houses of the order in Montreal and South America, and did much to build up the order which numbers more than 400 priests. Funeral services will be held in the Church of St. Jean Baptiste in East Seventy-sixth Street on next Thursday. Father Estevenon will be buried in Rome.

SOCIAL NOTES.

The Friday Juniors, a class of girls who will make their début next Winter, had a dance in Sherry's small ballroom last night. The cotillion was led by Lindell Bates, having Miss Edith Sloane as a partner. The favors were calendars and vanity cases. The patronesses who received were Mrs. Oliver Harriman, Mrs. Atwood Violett, James Raynor Hayden, Mrs. Charles S. Bates, and Mrs. Daniel Kellogg.

The first of this season's Metropolitan dances for young girls not yet out will take place this evening at Sherry's. Many of the members will make their début next year.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gray Griswold and the Misses Canfield, who spent Christmas at their villa at Tuxedo Park, returned yesterday to the Hotel Gotham.

The annual reception of the Ladies' Auxiliary of St. Vincent's Hospital will be held at the Waldorf-Astoria on Wednesday evening, Jan. 8.

Mrs. John L. Lawrence of Lawrence, L. I., is at the Hotel Manhattan for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel H. Valentine of 5 East Sixty-seventh Street are giving a dinner this evening at their residence.

Mrs. E. Francis Hyde will give a reception to-day at her house, 36 West Fifty-eighth Street.

Mrs. Augustus Pyatt is giving a reception to-day at the Waldorf-Astoria to introduce her daughter, Miss Mara Pyatt.

Mrs. Michael J. Mulqueen will give a coming-out reception to-day at her home, 43 West Eighty-fifth Street, for her daughter, Miss Estelle Mulqueen.

Bernard Corr.

Bernard Corr, noted for his liberality in Catholic philanthropies, died on Thursday at his home in Philadelphia. His most conspicuous gift of recent years was the $100,000 contributed to the Order of St. Augustine for the erection of Corr Memorial Hall at Villanova College. Two years ago he offered to build a beautiful church for the congregation of the Church of the Holy Child at Broad and Duncannon Avenue, Philadelphia, but withdrew the offer as a protest against the restrictions imposed by the church authorities. Mr. Corr was born in Ireland eighty-four years ago and came to Philadelphia as a young man. He is survived by four daughters.

John Weimann.

John Weimann, Sunday editor of The German Journal, died suddenly of heart disease yesterday at his home, 49 Claremont Avenue. He was born in Berlin in 1849, and was educated at the Prussian Cadet Corps at Lichterfelds, and later at the Universities of Berlin and Breslau. In the thirty-two years of his journalistic activity Mr. Weimann was art and theatrical critic of The New York Staats-Zeitung, Sunday editor of The New York Revue, and managing editor and later Sunday editor of The German Journal. He was the author of several plays.

Obituary Notes.

Ex-Chief of Police CORNELIUS RYAN died at his home in Hartford, Conn., last night, at the age of 84.

Chief Engineer WILLIAM L. BAILIE, U. S. N., retired, died yesterday at the Naval Hospital, Washington, aged 70 years. He was a native of Maryland, entered the naval service in 1863, and during the civil war served on board the United States steamships Cimmerone and Juniata.

BENJAMIN S. PALMER, a member of the firm of Chase & Sanborn, tea and coffee importers, died on Thursday at his home in West Newton, Mass.

Mrs. EDWARD P. COE of Englewood, N. J., died of heart disease on Thursday at Farmington, Conn.

SIMON HAAS, founder of the linen firm of Haas & Co., died on Thursday at Frankfort-on-Main, Germany, where he was born and where he went to live following his retirement from business five years ago, when he was succeeded by his son, Moses Haas. Mrs. Haas, four daughters, and two sons survive him.

HENRY GAFFKEN, for many years a real estate dealer in Brooklyn, died there on Thursday at his home, 61 Berkeley Place. He was born in Germany 71 years ago and served in the civil war. Mrs. Gaffken, a daughter and two sons survive him.

WILLIAM W. HOLDEN, who had a trucking business at 532 West Twenty-fifth Street and whose home was at 246 Paulison Avenue, Passaic, N. J., died on Thursday in Bellevue Hospital as the result of injuries he received in a fall.

EDWARD BRADLEY, President of the Land, Logs and Lumber Company, died on Thursday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Robert Twedy, in Prospect Avenue, Milwaukee, where he had been a resident for more than forty years. He was born in Bangor, Me., 70 years ago.

JACOB G. WALL, a pioneer copper miner, is dead at his home in Camden, N. J.

Mrs. MARY E. BUTCHER, widow of Washington Butcher, a prominent Philadelphia merchant and the mother of Mrs. Joseph G. Darlington of Haverford, Penn., died there on Thursday in her 91st year.

Miss JULIETTE PEARSON, who until her retirement last year had been a teacher in the public schools of this city for half a century, died on Thursday at her home, 114 West 123d Street.

CHESTER A. BODEN, for ten years an employe of P. F. Collier & Co., died on Thursday at his home, 92 Sterling Place, Brooklyn. He was 32 years old.

Capt. GEORGE B. HULL, for many years a skipper in the Atlantic coastwise commerce, died on Thursday in Providence, R. I., at the age of 78. During the civil war his ship, the Waterwitch, was seized by the Southern forces.

GEORGE REUBEN BURLEIGH, who styled himself the "Poet Laureate and Bard of New England," died on Thursday at Hampden, Mass. He was 49 years old.

Mrs. ANNA GAFFNEY TAAFFE, widow of Francis Taaffe, died on Thursday in her 68th year at her home, 332 Manor Road, Castleton Corners, S. I.

CHARLES H. WOODBURY, President and manager of the Mitchell-Woodbury Company of Boston, is dead of apoplexy. He was born in Salem, N. H., in 1855.

LEVI BOOTH, 83 years old, sole survivor of the class of 1854, the first graduated from the University of Wisconsin, died yesterday at his ranch near Denver, Col. Mr. Booth was born in Moravia, N. Y.

Dr. JOSEPH SOLATINOW, believed to have had the largest foreign practice of any physician in Northern New Jersey, is dead at his home, 269 Madison Street, Passaic. He was stricken with apoplexy on Thursday night. He was 65 years old. Dr. Solatinow practiced for twenty-five years in Paterson before going to Passaic. A wife and daughter survive him.

JOHN GEISER McHENRY, Democratic Congressman from the Sixteenth Congressional District, died at his home in Benton, Penn., yesterday from a general breakdown at the age of 54. He had been in failing health for six months, and did not seek re-election last November. He was President of the Rohr-McHenry Distilling Company and Superintendent of the Grange Banks of Pennsylvania. He left a wife and two sons.

CHARLES McCANN, 84 years old, died yesterday at his home, 166 James Street, Newark, N. J., from old age. He was the father of the late Charles J. McCann, formerly Secretary of the Newark Tax Board. Mr. McCann was one of the oldest members of St. Patrick's Cathedral.

Ex-Congressman ALVAH A. CLARK, 72 years old, corporation and criminal lawyer, for many years the Democratic leader of Somerset County, N. J., died yesterday at his home in Somerville. He was a native of Lebanon, Hunterdon County. He was admitted to the bar in 1863, became a counselor in 1866, and was elected to Congress from the Fourth District in 1876, and was re-elected in 1878.

JOSEPH HENIUS, a composer and a member of the Faculty of the Institute of Musical Arts, died yesterday after a short illness at his home, 620 West 122d Street. Mr. Henius was born in Bridgeport, Conn., Aug. 16, 1877. Among his best known compositions was Masies Music and a sonata which has been played by Albert Spalding.

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KITTY CHEATHAM ENTERTAINS

Delights Her Audience with Children's Songs and Negro Stories.

Kitty Cheatham gave the first of her annual holiday matinées at the Lyceum Theatre yesterday afternoon before an audience which, as usual, contained many children. The boxes, in fact, were filled with young people. Miss Cheatham gave a more elaborately staged entertainment than she usually offers. When the curtain rose the stage was dark. Presently there was a glimmer of firelight and one saw dimly a room with a fireplace. Out of this Miss Cheatham presently emerged, reciting a prologue written for her by W. Graham Robertson. By the time she had reached the centre of the stage three Christmas trees were ablaze with light and one saw that she was wearing a white satin paniered frock, much bespangled.

Presently Mrs. Wills appeared, she who until this season had been Miss Flora MacDonald. There was more applause for Miss Cheatham's accompanist and then the programme began in earnest. The first part was devoted to the children's songs in which Miss Cheatham is inimitable. Frederick Norton's "Dates and Things" was the best of the new songs, and Liza Lehmann's and Hilaire Belloc's "George Augustus Fortesque" the best of the old.

The second part Miss Cheatham gave up to negro stories and songs, and the last part was miscellaneous. One moment of the afternoon was alone worth going to the matinée for, and that was when Miss Cheatham recited the story of the Tar Baby, a faultless bit of negro dialect. But there were many other pleasures. In fact it was an afternoon of delight. Mrs. Wills's accompaniments were as good as usual, and Loomis Taylor assisted materially in the direction of the stage.

Genee in "La Danse" at The Park.

Adeline Genee gave a special matinée performance yesterday afternoon at the Park Theatre of "La Danse," the ballet which she has recently presented at the Metropolitan Opera House, which tells the history of the development of the art of dancing by presenting characteristic dances of all periods. The performance will be repeated at the same theatre next Monday afternoon.

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Married.

WARD—GOULD.—On Monday, Dec. 23, 1912, at Syracuse, N. Y., May Sedgwick, widow of James Henry Gould 2d, to Sylvanus Ward.

Brooklyn.

WOOLLEY—LIVINGSTON.—Dec. 26, Frances Livingston to John S. Woolley.

Westchester County.

MARX—ARMSTRONG.—Dec. 24, Yonkers, Elizabeth Armstrong to Harry L. Marx.

Died.

ALLEN.—Passed away Dec. 26, 1912, Maurice J., beloved son of James C. and the late Katherine T. Allen. Interment from his late residence, 70 Bay 29th St., Bensonhurst, on Monday next.

BAILIE.—At Washington, D. C., Dec. 27, 1912, William Lamdin Bailie, U. S. N., aged 69 years. Funeral notice later.

BYRNE.—On Dec. 26, Patrick Byrne, aged 60 years. Chapel Stephen Merritt Burial and Cremation Co., Harlem Branch, 2,343 8th Av., near 125th St. Time later.

CHILDS.—Suddenly, on Dec. 24, 1912, Charles A. Childs. Funeral services at his late residence, 26 East 56th St., Saturday morning, at 10 o'clock. Interment private.

CLARK.—On Friday, Dec. 27, at Somerville, N. J., Alvah A. Clark, in the 73d year of his age. Funeral services in the First Reformed Church, Somerville, Monday, Dec. 30, at 2:30 o'clock P. M. Carriages will meet trains leaving Twenty-third St., N. Y., at 12:50. Friends of the family are invited.

COE.—On Dec. 26, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. Trowbridge Allen, Farmington, Conn., Grace Cowles, daughter of the late John P. Cooke, and wife of Edward Prime Coe of Englewood, N. J. Funeral private.

DELLERE.—At White Plains, N. Y., on Dec. 27, 1912, Emma A., widow of Julius Dellere. Funeral service will be held at her late residence, 29 Church St., on Sunday at 2 P. M. Carriages will be in waiting on arrival of train leaving Grand Central Station at 12:48 P. M.

DWYER.—Dec. 25, Rose Dwyer, aged 73 years. Funeral service at Stephen Merritt's Chapel, 223 8th Av., Saturday morning, 10 o'clock.

ECCLESTON.—On Thursday, Dec. 26, at his residence, 64 St. Mark's Place, New Brighton, S. I., in his 85th year, Rev. Dr. John Clarkson Eccleston, Rector Emeritus of St. John's Church, Clifton, S. I. Funeral services at St. John's Church, Clifton, S. I., Sunday, Dec. 29, at 2 P. M. Interment private. Baltimore papers please copy.

FIELD.—On fifth day, twelfth month, 26th, 1912, Anna Cromwell, wife of the late Charles M. Field, in her 90th year. Funeral services at her late residence, 158 Hicks St., Brooklyn, on seventh day, twelfth month, 28th, at 2:30 P. M. Kindly omit flowers.

FUNNELL.—At Huntington, L. I., Dec. 26, suddenly, Henry T. Funnell, in his 79th year. Funeral services will be held at his late residence, Huntington, L. I., on Monday, Dec. 30, at 2 P. M.

HAAS.—Simon, beloved husband of Rebecca Haas and father of Moses, Henrietta Feist, Carrie Fuhs, Amanda Landsman, Hortense Levy, and Dr. Arthur Haas, at Frankfort-on-the-Main, Germany.

HAMBLEN.—At East Orange, N. J., on Thursday, Dec. 26, 1912, Nancy Emily, wife of the late Eleazer Hamblen. Funeral private. Hartford, Conn., papers please copy.

HENIUS.—On Friday, Dec. 27, at 620 W. 122d St., Joseph Henius of the Faculty of Musical Arts, composer of "Maisies Music," and other works. Funeral from late residence at 1 P. M. Saturday, Dec. 28.

HILL.—Crescent Lodge, No. 402, F. and A. M. Brethren: You are requested to attend the funeral services of our late brother, Thomas A. Hill, at the North Presbyterian Church, 155th St., (east of Broadway,) on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Masonic services. JOHN BEISWANGER, Master. WILLIAM J. BEAMISH, Secretary.

HORGAN.—Ellen Horgan, aged 104 years. THE FUNERAL CHURCH, West 23d St., (Campbell Building.) Time later.

LEYS.—At Brattleboro, Vt., Dec. 27, Jennie M., widow of William Leys. Notice of funeral hereafter.

LOCKWOOD.—On Dec. 27, Julia Anna, widow of the late John E. Lockwood. Funeral from her late residence, 88 South Parsons Av., Flushing, L. I., Sunday afternoon, Dec. 29, 3 o'clock. Interment at convenience of family.

McGUIRE.—On Thursday, Dec. 26, 1912, at his residence, 620 West 116th St., Thomas Jefferson McGuire. Funeral services at the Fifth Avenue Baptist Church, West 46th St., near 5th Av., on Saturday, the 28th inst., at 2 o'clock P. M. Interment Woodlawn at convenience of family. Baltimore, (Md.,) Atlanta, and Rome (Ga.) papers please copy.

OATMAN.—Suddenly, on Thursday morning, Dec. 26, Edward L. Oatman, M. D. Funeral service at his late residence, 71 Remsen St., Brooklyn, 2 P. M., Saturday. Interment private.

OPERTI.—Elizabeth Bell Operti, widow of the late Signor E. Operti, passed away Friday morning, Dec. 27, after four days' illness, aged 75 years, at 193 Waverley Place. Interment Sunday, Evergreen Cemetery. Funeral private. Boston and Bridgeport papers please copy.

PAEPKE.—Marie, widow of Albert Paepke, on Dec. 26, 1912, in her 69th year, at her late residence, 201 East 68th St. Funeral services at the German Reformed Church, 68th St., near 1st Av., on Saturday, Dec. 28, at 1:30 P. M.

PLATT.—At East Orange, N. J., on Dec. 27, 1912, Cordelia Platt. Notice of funeral hereafter.

SCHOEN.—On Dec. 26, at 54 East 83d St., after a lingering illness, Frederick, only son of Carl and Matilde Schoen, in the 16th year of his age. Funeral services at the West End Collegiate Church, West End Av. and 77th St., on Saturday, Dec. 28, at 2 o'clock. Interment private.

SMITTEN.—Suddenly, Thursday, Dec. 26, Thomas W. S. Smitten, in his 71st year. Funeral services at his late residence, 198 South Oxford St., Brooklyn, Sunday, Dec. 29, at 2:30 P. M. Interment Greenwood Cemetery.

STIMSON.—At Linden, N. J., Dec. 26, 1912, Frank B. Stimson, aged 59 years. Funeral services will be held at his late residence, Gibbon St., on Saturday, Dec. 28, at 2:30 o'clock. Carriages will be at station on arrival of train.

STINER.—On Dec. 25, at his home, Great Neck, L. I., after a lingering illness, William H. Stiner, beloved husband of the late Amelia Stiner, in his 79th year. Funeral services will be held Sunday morning, Dec. 29, at Fresh Pond Crematory, Fresh Pond, L. I., at 11 A. M. Kindly omit flowers.

TAAFFE.—332 Manor Road, Castleton Corners, S. I., Anna Mary Gaffney Taaffe, widow of William Francis Taaffe, mother of William P., Thomas G., Joseph S., Francis X., the Rev. James A. Taaffe, S. J. Requiem mass Church of Blessed Sacrament, Manor Road, Saturday, Dec. 28, 10 A. M. Interment St. Peter's Cemetery. Omit flowers.

WATERBURY.—Suddenly, on Friday, Dec. 27, Edward P. Waterbury, beloved husband of Alice L. Waterbury. Services at his late residence, 372 Putnam Av., Brooklyn, Sunday, Dec. 29, at 2:30 P. M.

WHITNEY.—On Dec. 26, Henrietta Titus, wife of Daniel D. Whitney. Funeral at her late residence, 10 Poplar St., Brooklyn, at 2 o'clock on Sunday, Dec. 29. Interment on Monday at Matinnecock on arrival of train at Locust Valley, leaving Flatbush Av., Brooklyn, at 11 A. M.

WODINSKY.—Jerome, aged 55, beloved husband of Sarah, father of Oscar, Isadore, David, Gussie, and Nathan. Funeral from his late residence, 183 2d St., Dec. 29, at 10 A. M.

BORSTMAN.—Robert H., Dec. 26. Funeral 628 8th Av., to-morrow, 1:30 P. M.

BOURRET.—Daliena, 389 2d Av., Dec. 25. Funeral private.

BYRNE.—John, 344 West 21st St., Dec. 25.

CAHILL.—John, 696 3d Av., Dec. 26. Funeral to-day, 9:45 A. M.

CAREY.—James W., 222 Spring St., Dec. 25. Funeral private.

CROWE.—Bridget, 711 Crotona Park North, Dec. 26. Funeral to-day, 9:30 A. M.

CROWE.—Catherine B., 15 West 60th St., Dec. 25, aged 72. Funeral to-day.

DANKEL.—Catharine, 336 East 25th St., Dec. 26, aged 53. Funeral to-day, 9:30 A. M.

DELANEY.—Edward, 54 East 4th St., Dec. 25. Funeral to-day, 9:30 A. M.

DESVERNEY.—Ann, 412 East 165th St., Dec. 25, aged 50. Funeral to-day, noon.

DUNSTON.—George, Gouverneur Hospital, Dec. 26. Funeral to-day.

HAMBERG.—Christian, 261 West 118th St., Dec. 26. Funeral to-day, 1 P. M.

HERZFELD.—Henrietta, 664 East 158th St., Dec. 25.

JOYCE.—Vincent P., 160 East 126th St., Dec. 25, aged 57. Funeral to-day.

KRAUS.—Philip, 749 Deck St., Dec. 26, aged 80. Funeral to-day, 10 A. M.

KUHLWEIN.—Jacob, 2,425 Walker Av., Bronx, Dec. 26, aged 50. Funeral to-morrow.

KULL.—Minnie, 187 Alexander Av., Bronx, Dec. 26. Funeral to-morrow.

LAMBERT.—Fredericka, 445 West 88th St., Dec. 25, aged 69. Funeral to-morrow, 1 P. M.

LUBY.—Bridget, 1,459 East 27th St., Dec. 26. Funeral to-day, 9:30 A. M.

LYNCH.—Mary A., 246 3d Av., Dec. 25. Funeral to-day, 11 A. M.

LYNCH.—Mary E., 356 West 45th St., Dec. 25. Funeral to-day, 9:30 A. M.

McGRATH.—Ellen, 254 East 239th St., Dec. 26. Funeral to-day, 10 A. M.

MAPES.—Rebecca, Dec. 25. Funeral, 59 West 125th St.

MEAD.—Florence A., 218 East Burnside Av., Bronx, Dec. 26. Funeral private.

MINK.—Anna M., Riverdale, Dec. 26. Funeral to-day, 10 A. M.

NUGENT.—Edward, 2,119 8th Av., Dec. 25, aged 79. Funeral to-day, 10 A. M.

PEARSON.—Juliet R., 114 West 123d St., Dec. 25.

TANKEL.—Katherine, 336 East 25th St., Dec. 26, aged 58. Funeral to-day.

Brooklyn.

BAKER.—Louis, 776 4th Av., Dec. 25, aged 74. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

BECKER.—Emily I., 1,092 Flatbush Av., Dec. 27. Funeral service to-day.

BRADY.—John E., 225 Pulaski St., Dec. 26, aged 55. Funeral to-morrow.

BURT.—Elizabeth M., 820 Washington Av., Dec. 25.

BUTLER.—Charles A., 89 Butler St., Dec. 25. Funeral to-day, 2:30 P. M.

BYRNES.—George, 130 Raymond St., Dec. 25. Funeral service to-day.

CALLAGHAN.—Arthur, Dec. 26. Funeral service Carroll St. and 7th Av. to-day.

DALTON.—Elizabeth, 379 Grand St., Dec. 25. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

GAFFKEN.—Henry, 61 Berkeley Place, Dec. 26. Funeral private.

GALLIGAN.—Thomas, 221 Warren St., Dec. 26. Funeral to-day, 9:30 A. M.

GRIFFEN.—Ellen M., 31 St. John's Place, Dec. 26, aged 22.

GUDEN.—Joanna R., 2,224 82d St., Dec. 25, aged 43. Funeral to-day.

GUINNESS.—Capt. Benjamin, 506 Halsey St., Dec. 25. Funeral service to-day.

HARSEN.—Mary, 289 Smith St., Dec. 26. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

HATTON.—Francis, 1,131 40th St., Dec. 25. Funeral to-day, 9 A. M.

JOHNSON.—Lizzie, 185 Woodbine St., Dec. 25, aged 48. Funeral to-day, 2:30 P. M.

KEEFE.—Louise A., 769 St. John's Place, Dec. 25. Funeral to-morrow.

KELLEHER.—Abbie E., 77 Division Av., Dec. 27. Funeral Dec. 30.

KELLY.—Sarah A., 1,009 Gates Av., Dec. 25. Funeral to-day, 3 P. M.

LARSEN.—Josephine, 46 Columbia St., Dec. 24, aged 51. Funeral service to-day.

LEGGETT.—Catherine F., 1,357 52d St., Dec. 26.

LUBY.—Bridget, 1,459 East 27th St., Dec. 26. Funeral to-day, 9:30 A. M.

McNEELEY.—Peter F., 197 St. Mark's Av., Dec. 26. Funeral Dec. 30.

MANLEY.—Thomas F., 74 Nelson St., Dec. 26, aged 32.

MULLIGAN.—Catherine, 238 Buffalo Av., Dec. 25, aged 68. Funeral to-day.

NIEHELSON.—William, 26 State St., Dec. 26. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

O'DONNELL.—Daniel, 140 Rutledge St., Dec. 26. Funeral to-day.

OLIGER.—Wilhelmine, 43 Rush St., Dec. 25, aged 73.

REIFE.—Augusta, 339 46th St., Dec. 26, aged 71. Funeral private.

SMITH.—Florence M., 218 Etna St., Dec. 26, aged 44.

STILWELL.—Hannah J., 252 69th St., Dec. 26, aged 75. Funeral service to-day.

SULLIVAN.—Frank, 171 Linwood St., Dec. 26. Funeral to-morrow.

ULZHEIMER.—Ida M., 848 Glenmore Av., Dec. 26. Funeral to-day, 10 A. M.

WALBY.—Mary A., 520 Myrtle Av., Dec. 26. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

YOUNG.—Bella P., 494 10th St., Dec. 26. Funeral private.

Hoboken and Jersey City.

HUGO.—Louisa, 443 Ogden Av., Jersey City, Dec. 26. Funeral to-morrow.

KUMMLER.—Elizabeth, 532 Clinton Av., West Hoboken, Dec. 25, aged 62. Funeral to-day.

SCHULTZE.—Frederick W., 726 Monastery St., West Hoboken, Dec. 26, aged 70.

Long Island.

BRUNO.—Edna L., Corona, Dec. 24.

CANTWELL.—Agnes, Whitestone, Dec. 24, aged 56.

FISCHER.—Maria L., Bayside, Dec. 25, aged 57. Funeral to-morrow, 2 P. M.

GLICKMAN.—Cecelia, Corona, Dec. 26.

GROGAN.—Thomas W., Flushing, Dec. 24, aged 54.

HELLAND.—Charles E., Freeport, Dec. 25, aged 69. Funeral to-morrow, 2 P. M.

McGOWAN.—Michael, Ridgewood, Dec. 24, aged 40.

MAGURK.—John F. Holbrook, Dec. 25, aged 47. Funeral to-morrow.

MICHEL.—Charles, Ridgewood, Dec. 24, aged 56.

MILLERTINE.—Henry C., Ridgewood Heights, Dec. 24, aged 44.

QUELLE.—Theodore F., Astoria, Dec. 24, aged 71.

ROSS.—Marion C., Evergreen, Dec. 24, aged 8 months.

SCHERER.—William J., Ridgewood, Dec. 24.

Westchester County.

EYERES.—Phoebe A., Yonkers, Dec. 24. Funeral to-day.

MARDON.—Marie A., White Plains, Dec. 25, Funeral to-day, 9:30 A. M.

SULLIVAN.—Mary, 10 Palisade Av., Yonkers, Dec. 26. Funeral to-day.

In Memoriam.

HENNESSY.—Ellen; mass, Sacred Heart Church, to-day, 9 A. M.

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COLLEGE COACH TOO MUCH IN SPOTLIGHT

W. F. Garcelon of Harvard Thinks Baseball Teams Should Play Their Own Game.

A. A. U. NEEDS COLLEGE MEN

"Hiring Athletes" Scored by Prof. Dudley at National Collegiate Association Meeting.

All the knotty problems of college athletics were thrashed out at the annual convention of the National Collegiate Association at the Hotel Astor yesterday, delegates from more than 100 colleges, schools and universities in different parts of the country taking part in the hundred and one discussions which made up the day's oratorical proceedings.

Summer baseball, amateurism, training, coaching and other phases of intercollegiate sport came in for a grilling. College baseball got the hardest rap of the day from William F. Garcelon, Graduate Director of Athletics at Harvard, who said in his report on baseball among the colleges of New England that the coach had become altogether too prominent in college games. Mr. Garcelon said that college games were no longer contests between teams of college students but contests between coaches.

He said that the players when they went to the bat had to keep one eye on the ball and the other on the coach on the bench. He deplored the fact that the coach had become such a figure in college games and suggested that during baseball games the coaches, instead of running the game from the bench, should go away somewhere and let the boys play their own game.

Mr. Garcelon also took occasion to mention that sometime there would be closer relations between the colleges and the Amateur Athletic Union. He suggested that the A. A. U. would be a better organization if there were more college men identified with its affairs.

Mr. Garcelon directed a stinging rebuke to the A. A. U. when he stated that many of the men who serve on committees in various branches of the organization do so simply for what they can get out of it.

Prof. William L. Dudley of Vanderbilt University directed much criticism against the methods employed by colleges in attracting students to their halls of learning. Prof. Dudley hit out straight from the shoulder in his address and remarked that the employment bureaus conducted by some of the colleges were nothing but agencies for hiring athletes. He said that there were three groups of athletic liars—those who tell a lie to establish their amateur standing, but won't write it or swear it; those who tell and write a lie but won't swear to it before a notary, and those who will go the limit.

"I have known young men to be guilty of dishonorable dealings in after life because their sense of honor was warped by the dishonest methods practiced in college athletics," said Prof. Dudley. "Preaching does little good. Youth needs demonstration and practical application. The laboratory method must be used on him. The coach has more influence in college for good or ill than any other instructor and, therefore, his selection is of the greatest importance. The selection should be made by the Faculty, through a committee, after the character of the candidate has been thoroughly investigated. More weight should be given to character than to anything else. He must be a clean man in every way. He must be a firm believer in fair play, honest methods and amateur sport. There can be no clean sport with an unclean coach. As is the coach, so are the coached. We may go further and say—As is the coach, so will be the student body."

After seven years with Major Palmer E. Pierce of West Point at its head, the organization had a change of administration yesterday, when Dean La Baron Russell Briggs of Harvard was elected President. Dean Briggs has much to do with Faculty control of athletics at Cambridge, and stands for a high type of true sportsmanship and true manhood.

The convention empowered the new President to appoint a committee of three to draft a letter of appreciation to Major Pierce, who is now stationed in China, thanking him for his service to the organization. Secretary Frank W. Nicolson of Wesleyan also paid a high tribute to Major Pierce in his annual report.

Prof. Nicolson said: "Major Pierce is a man of the highest ideals of sportsmanship, clear in his views, and firm in carrying them out, withal a man of the nicest courtesy and tact, the best type of American gentleman. Major Pierce has been an ideal President. The success of the organization has been almost altogether due to his personality. Though duty has called him to distant lands, rendering his resignation from office necessary, his heart is still with the association, and he has enjoined upon me to express to you his regret at being absent from this meeting and his sincere best wishes for the future of the National Collegiate Athletic Association."

Prof. T. L. Moran of Purdue was elected Vice President and Prof. Frank W. Nicolson of Wesleyan was re-elected Secretary-Treasurer. The Executive Committee was elected as follows: First District—Prof. C. E. Bolser, Dartmouth; Second District—Prof. W. L. Wilson, Lehigh; Third District—Dr. R. B. Abercrombie, Johns Hopkins; Fourth District—Prof. W. H. Hullin University of the South; Fifth District—Prof. P. S. Paige, Minnesota; Sixth District—Prof. W. G. Manley, Mississippi; Seventh District—Prof. Hugo Bedzek, Arkansas; Eighth District—Frank Castleman, Colorado.

A movement was started by some of the Western delegates to have next year's convention held in Chicago. This was put to a vote, and the measure was defeated, a majority of the members voting to hold the meeting in New York, as in past years. The meeting next year will be held on Dec. 30. Many were in favor of Dec. 31, but W. F. Garcelon of Harvard pointed out that the last day of the old year would be an unsuitable time to try to hold the meeting in New York, because there would be too many counter attractions for the visiting delegates on New Year's Eve.

One of the most interesting addresses of the convention was delivered by Dr. George L. Meylan of Columbia. His subject was athletic training, and he traced the custom of training from the time of the ancient Olympic games to the present day. He said in part:

"The old English custom of drinking ale while in training has been abandoned by many American trainers. The few trainers who allow ale at the training table usually limit its use to once or twice a week after a game or a time row during the latter part of the training season. There is no evidence that athletes who drink ale achieve better results than those who abstain, and there are good reasons for not including any alcoholic beverage in the training diet of college athletes. Rational athletic training constitutes an invaluable part of a college education. It is unfortunate that in most colleges the opportunity for such training is offered to a small proportion of the students enrolled. This association can render a large service to American education by urging the further extension of rational athletics until provision is made for the proper training of all the students in American colleges."

The shortest and most satisfying report of the convention consisted of but a few words and was made by G. W. Ehler of Wisconsin, who is Chairman of the committee appointed to report on the "Football Fatalities Among College Men." Prof. Ehler reported that there were no fatalities among college men during the past year, and the announcement was received with much applause.

Dean Briggs took the opportunity of deploring the tendency of college baseball players to imitate the policies of the professional baseball players in the big leagues. "There is much in professional baseball as played by the kings of the game," said Dean Briggs, "that we do not want to see our students imitate. For instance, we shouldn't like to see our students imitate Mr. Jennings on the coaching line, although much that he does is humorous and accepted by the American public."

Dr. C. Ward Crampton of the Public Schools' Athletic League of New York City spoke to the convention on the doings of that organization. Dr. Crampton explained that the City of New York was fostering a system of athletics which was to be found in no other institution—athletics for the many instead of for the few. He explained that the excellent results among the boys and girls of the public schools spoke well for the system. Since its establishment in the schools here, Dr. Crampton explained that it had been taken up by more than twenty of the largest cities of the country. He stated that New York was setting an example for the whole country in the physical training of the youth. Dr. Crampton invited all of the delegates to go to Madison Square Garden this afternoon and see the annual indoor championships of the elementary schools. He stated that the manner in which this meet would be run off, with its hundreds of contestants, would be a revelation to the delegates who had never witnessed an affair of this kind.

The football report of Dr. Harry L. Williams, the former Yale player and now coach at Minnesota, showed that the organization which has for years been prominent in football reforms is at last well satisfied with the present games under the changes that were made in the rules last season. Dr. Williams advocates the game just as it is with no change whatever. His report in part was:

"I have no hesitation in expressing the conviction that the rules of 1912 made possible the best game of football ever played by American colleges. The proper adjustment of the balance between offense and defense, with a maintenance of just the right equilibrium between these forces, has always been a serious problem. The opportunity for the display of skillful generalship and football strategy was decidedly limited under former rules.

"Every year now since the formation of this association, which you will recollect had its inception in a general dissatisfaction over the rules of football, the playing code has been subjected to a constant change by the committee in an endeavor to bring about the best game possible. It may be admitted that an annual change in the game is most unfortunate, both from the standpoint of the players and the public.

"But now at last we seem to have a game that is most satisfactory, popular alike among players, spectators, and coaches, where the balance between attack and offense is nicely adjusted, where a team that is properly instructed and properly directed upon the field of play ought always to be able to score unless outclassed, and where the team of superior ability and skill almost invariably wins. As ever, some discontents are still advocating more changes. It would certainly seem wise to allow the game which has proved itself during the last season so eminently satisfactory to remain as it is for a few years."

The following athletic committees were appointed:

Football Rules Committee—Dr. H. L. Williams, Minnesota; E. K. Hall, Dartmouth; Dr. J. A. Babbitt, Haverford; Lieut. H. M. Nelly, West Point; Prof. C. W. Savage, Oberlin; Prof. S. C. Williams, Iowa State.

Track Committee—Prof. F. W. Marvel, Brown; Dr. W. A. Lambeth, Virginia; Director Frank A. Castelman, Colorado.

Basket Ball Committee—Dr. James Naismith, Kansas; Dr. J. E. Raycroft, Princeton; Ralph Morgan, Pennsylvania; Harry Fisher, Columbia; Oswald Tower, Williams, Dr. L. J. Cook, Minnesota; L. W. St. John, Ohio State.

The evening session was devoted to informal discussion of various athletic problems that confront the colleges.

Glen Warner, athletic coach at Carlisle, declared that baseball in colleges should be abolished.

"As long as colleges continue to develop baseball as one of the principal sports," said Dr. Warner, "colleges will continue to turn out baseball players who will be in great demand and become professionals. Our experience at Carlisle has convinced us that instead of baseball making men of the Indians, it was more apt to make bums of them. I speak not of baseball in the colleges, but the professional game the student gets into after leaving college. So we abolished baseball at Carlisle, and while it was a bitter pill for the boys, there was no open rebellion, and in a short while things adjusted themselves.

"We substituted for baseball the game of la crosse, and find that it is now enjoyed more than baseball was. I really believe that the only solution of the baseball evil in our colleges is to cut it out entirely and substitute a game that is not so professional."

This indictment of baseball instantly caused much discussion among those present, and at its height Prof. Ernst Bouvier of Rutgers College arose and said:

"I move that this association appoint a committee of three at the executive meeting to take the baseball matter up and see if some of the bad things about it cannot be cured."

BOSTON TO GET REGATTA.

National Rowing Association Favors New England for Event Next Year.

Although the place for holding the next annual regatta of the National Association of Amateur Oarsmen will not be officially determined until the next meeting of the National Association, which will be held in about two months, it is reasonably certain that it will be held at Boston. At present there are several bids for the National event, including Philadelphia and Baltimore, but the general feeling among the members of the Executive Committee of the National Association is that Boston has the strongest claim to the regatta. Last year it was held at Peoria, Ill., and Washington, D. C., was the scene of the National rowing races in the year preceding it, and now it reaches around to New England.

It is recognized that rowing is a popular sport in the East, especially in Boston, and the field of proper encouragement for the efforts of the Boston rowing men is recognized by the National Association officials. Although Philadelphia, through the Schuylkill navy, has decided to apply for the regatta, it is known that the Quakers will retire when Boston sends in its application, and lend its influence and vote to the New England city.

As yet no talk has been made of the date, but it will probably follow the Canadian Henley. The Canadian oarsmen have done much to help make the American National regatta a success each year, and the National Association of Amateur Oarsmen is anxious to yield a point to them. It is not likely that the metropolitan district will make application. Oarsmen are opposed to the local course on account of the tide and traffic conditions, and for that reason it is thought that any move to bring the regatta here would result in failure. The last National regatta held on the Harlem River was in 1900.

Should the present plans materialize the oarsmen will have a course superior to any in the country in a couple of years. The Pelham Bay offers unrivaled facilities for the construction of a course, and the municipal authorities have recently taken the matter up in earnest. If the project is brought to a completion the new course will be officially opened with a National regatta.

CHANCE AWAITS AN OFFER.

Wants It to be Big, or He Won't Come Here as Manager of Yankees.

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Frank Chance will not manage the New York American League club unless he receives the salary he demands and a percentage of the club's profits. The salary, he says, is the largest ever demanded by a manager of a ball club.

In a letter to-day to Charles Williams, Treasurer of the Chicago Nationals, Chance gave the first authentic news of his negotiations with Frank Farrell, owner of the New York club. Chance wrote that he really intended to retire from baseball, but since given the opportunity to manage the Yankees, "he wants enough money to make it worth while."

"I do not think I will get what I have asked for," writes Chance. "My price is steep; in fact, the highest ever demanded by a manager, but I intended to quit the game and now I want to make it worth while. It is a good bet, though, that I will be right out here on my ranch next Summer instead of on a ball field. It is paying me better than ever, and I am contented. Still, should Farrell grant me what I want, the probabilities are that I will go."

Chance added that he will not go East to discuss the situation with Farrell until the latter agrees to his terms.

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SOLDIER KEARNS OUT IN THE EIGHTH ROUND

Cowpuncher Willard Drops the Brooklyn Heavyweight with a Blow to Jaw.

Jess Willard, the rangy Texas cowpuncher who jumped to fame in the pugilistic ranks by outpointing Luther McCarty here several weeks ago, eliminated Soldier Kearns of Brooklyn from the heavyweight championship competition at Madison Square Garden last night. A straight right to the soldier's jaw during the first minute of the eighth round ended the battle, which was one of the best contests between heavyweights staged in this city in many months.

The knockout was as surprising as it was decisive. It came at a time when both men were going at a clip that made such a thing decidedly unexpected. The rugged Kearns appeared much stronger than the tall Texan, and to all appearances he was capable of lasting twenty rounds if the bout was to go that distance. Willard had shown to advantage in the early rounds, but his exertions had plainly sapped some of his strength, and the muscular soldier, recognizing this fact, had been carrying the work to Willard for three rounds before the finish.

The ringside weights showed Kearns at 196 pounds and Willard at 221 pounds. The Texan towered eight inches above his more rugged opponent, registering six feet six inches, as against five feet ten inches. When the men discarded their robes to await the opening bell both presented wonderful physiques, though entirely different. Muscles bulged out on Kearns's back and arms such as are usually found on wrestlers, and he gave the appearance of abnormal strength. Willard, without an ounce of superfluous flesh on his tall frame, also showed a wonderful pair of shoulders. From a boxing standpoint, Willard was of the ideal build, but Kearns carried so much strength that he offset considerable of the other advantages which the Texan enjoyed.

The early rounds showed Willard at his best, and his work was most impressive. He assumed a position that is decidedly strange in boxing circles, holding his head far back so that it was very difficult to reach. His great height made the task especially difficult. He had all the appearances of an experienced athlete, using good judgment in his method of attack, and he showed the grace and ease of a finished boxer, at the same time always remaining cool. The rushes of the soldier only made him smile as he cleverly evaded them or met his onrushing opponent with a well-directed punch. Kearns appeared only as an aimless swinger, and he got over a good punch only at rare intervals. As the bout wore on the superior strength of Kearns began to tell, and in the fifth round Willard was apparently tired out. During the sixth and seventh rounds Kearns was far more aggressive than his opponent, reversing the conditions of the earlier rounds, and it was only when the soldier shot over a punch with enough force to sting the Texan that Willard displayed any of his ability to get in and exchange wallops.

Infighting was an unknown quantity at all stages of the battle. Willard did not direct a punch at the soldier's midsection at any time, and in the clinches he made no effort to drive in any short-arm jabs. He contented himself with trying to push Kearns away. The latter made Willard's body the target of his attack several times after he found it next to impossible to reach. Willard's head, but these punches were all long swings. The soldier devoted his time when at close quarters to clinching owing to the respect which he had for Willard's right uppercut.

At no time did either man show to much advantage over the other. Willard knocked Kearns off his feet twice before the knockout punch was delivered. In the first round and again in the third Willard's right landed on the soldier's jaw with sufficient force to bowl him over, but that was all. Kearns was up on his feet again as fast as he went down and showed no ill effects from the punches. He refused to take any count on either occasion.

KEARNS EXCITES GOVERNOR.

Fighter Hoodwinked by Reporter Sets the State's Machinery Going.

Sheriff Julius Harburger occupied a ringside seat at Madison Square Garden last night as the result of a special telegram received yesterday from Gov. John A. Dix, urging him to be present to see that the laws in regard to boxing contests were not violated. What excited the Governor was a complaint made to him by a newspaper which is conducting a campaign against boxing in this State.

According to the complaint, Soldier Kearns, one of the principals in last night's bout, had signed a statement that he hoped to knock out his opponent in one punch if necessary. This signed statement was obtained by the newspaper in question and forwarded to Gov. Dix.

Bob Clark, manager of Soldier Kearns, explained the signed statement last night as a ruse which had been employed by the newspaper for the purpose of trapping Kearns. The soldier fell into the trap. The trick was performed, according to Clark, in the following manner:

Kearns was asked to go to the newspaper office and there he was told it had been alleged that he was to "fake" his bout with Willard. The soldier, of course, became much excited at this charge, inasmuch as his intentions were just the opposite, and he made the declaration that he would do his best to win the bout. Questioned further by the reporter, he said that he would win if possible by a knockout, and he was asked to sign a statement disproving the story of a fake bout. Thinking that his signature was simply a declaration of the honesty of his intentions, Kearns signed the statement, which was promptly sent to the Governor at Albany as an argument that a prizefight was to take place. In the telegram sent to the Governor Kearns is referred to as a prizefighter rather than a boxer.

Sheriff Harburger declared himself strongly in favor of boxing last night, and said that brutality alone would cause him to take any action. He declared after the bout that it had been a wonderful exhibition of two well-trained men; that no brutality had taken place, and that he would immediately notify the Governor that the law had been observed in every detail.

Patsy Sheppard, Old Boxer, Dead.

BOSTON, Dec. 27.—Patrick (Patsy) F. Sheppard, who, as a lightweight, was one of the stars of the prize ring years ago, died to-day at his home in this city. Sheppard began his pugilistic career in Ireland, where he was born in 1847, and from 1864 to 1874 he fought nearly all the noted boxers in England and this country. In later years he was one of the trainers and backers of John L. Sullivan.

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LONDON, Dec. 27.—The Daily Telegraph in discussing England's prospects in regaining the Westchester polo cup in June, 1913, says:

"The Duke of Westminster got together the best stud of ponies in England before he arranged to send a team to America. It has been enormously strengthened, with the result that England will be represented by the grandest collection of high-class ponies ever got together in this country. Probably for the first time Americans have found that the weight of dollars has not availed them in their efforts to secure the pick of the British pony market. It is true that a number of ponies were bought at high prices for the United States, but in the majority of cases they were not sold until the Duke of Westminster had been given the refusal of them.

"On the authority of Major Egerton Greene, manager of the Hurlingham Club, according to the present arrangements, the following six players will go to America to play for the cup: Capt. George Belleville, W. S. Buckmaster, Capt. Cheape, Capt. Ritson, F. M. Freake, Lord Wodehouse. This includes the old Cantabs team, which was recognized as the strongest side in this country. The Duke of Westminster has laid his plans so well that the odds are likely to be in England's favor next June."

W. H. PAGE FOR PRESIDENT.

New York A. C. Probably Will Elect Well-Known Lawyer as Its Head.

Followers of New York Athletic Club matters in the financial and downtown business districts were discussing with much interest yesterday the well-authenticated rumor to the effect that William H. Page, a well-known lawyer of this city, was slated for the nomination of President of the world's foremost sporting organization. Mr. Page is also a member of the Aero, Automobile, and New York Yacht and Harvard Clubs.

It is stated that he has been selected to head the ticket which will be presented by the Nominating Committee, which was the outcome of the concerted action of a number of the members who were dissatisfied with the old custom of having the regular ticket named by the committee appointed by the Board of Governors.

Mr. Page became a member of the club in 1892, and stands 681 on the long list of eligibles to wear the Winged Foot. He is said to be a firm believer in all kinds of sport, and since that time during his college career at Harvard, from which he was graduated in the early '80s, he has continued to take his usual allotment of exercise.

While at Harvard he is said to have won the championship of the university in the lightweight and middleweight classes at boxing. Since becoming a member of the New York Athletic Club he has been a steady patron of the gymnasium and boxing room of the club, where he dons the mits with the famous Mike Donovan, who has been the instructor of former President Roosevelt and others.

The new Board of Governors is to be made up of men who are closely aligned with sport in its various branches, each of which is to be catered to after the fashion for which the club was formed. It is said that close adherents of boxing, wrestling, rowing, lawn tennis, fencing, and similar sports will comprise the members of the board to be named by the committee of so-called insurgents.

PAUL HUNTER'S GOLF BEST.

Chicago Covers Pinehurst Course in 75—Travis Does 82.

PINEHURST, N. C., Dec. 27.—Paul Hunter, Midlothian Club, Chicago, outplayed Walter J. Travis, the Garden City veteran, in the qualification round to-day of the ninth annual Pinehurst holiday week golf tournament. Hunter brought in a card of 75, while Travis covered the course in 82. A high wind made play difficult.

In the rounds to-day, eighteen of sixty-nine entrants qualified for play in the match rounds, which continue through next Tuesday. Among the leaders were the following: C. L. Becker, Woodland, 88; I. S. Robeson, Oakhill, 91; R. G. Shaw, Brookline; C. L. Bishop, Yale, and A. H. Shaw, Brookline, 92 each; C. B. Hudson, New Suffolk; H. S. Horton, Midland; J. C. Linneman, Shawnee, and T. B. Boyd, Glen Echo, 93 each; G. H. Crocker, Brooker, 94; W. S. Rathbone, Detroit; R. J. Clapp, Hartford; J. M. Thompson, Spring Haven, and W. E. Trusdell, Fox Hills, 96 each.

Figure Skating in Vienna.

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Representatives of the United States and Canada will take part in the world championship figure skating events to be held in Vienna, Austria, Feb. 23, 1913, if a recommendation of Everett C. Brown of Chicago is heeded by Amateur Athletic Union officials in New York and Canada. H. S. Wisinger of the Commission of the Training Eis Club of Austria recently wrote Mr. Brown urging him to use his influence toward sending a representative from America, either the United States or Canada, or a representative from each. There has been no representative in skating events from America since 1890, he says, when events were held at St. Petersburg.

To Show Airedale Terriers.

The annual bench show of the Airedale Terrier Club of Long Island will be held Monday, Feb. 24, at Murray Hill Lyceum. This is a four point show and will be held on the day following the close of the Westminster Kennel Club show and on the day before the Boston show, thereby giving the exhibitors an opportunity of acquiring sixteen points in less than one week. The listed special prizes are the best ever offered at any specialty show. Entries may be made to O. J. Butler, Secretary of the Bench Show Committee, 59 William Street, New York City.

To Walk to Coney Island.

The Walkers' Club of America will start from City Hall steps at 9:30 A. M. Sunday on the last "hike" of the year. It will be to Coney Island, and will be a final trial for the walk of Jan. 5, over the same route, in which club medals will be given to all survivors.

Rivers-Cross Bout Jan. 14.

The ten-round bout between Joe Rivers, the Mexican lightweight, and Leach Cross of this city, scheduled for Jan. 8 at the Empire A. C., has been postponed until Jan. 14 at Rivers's request. Rivers arrived in New York last evening and will do his training at Rye.

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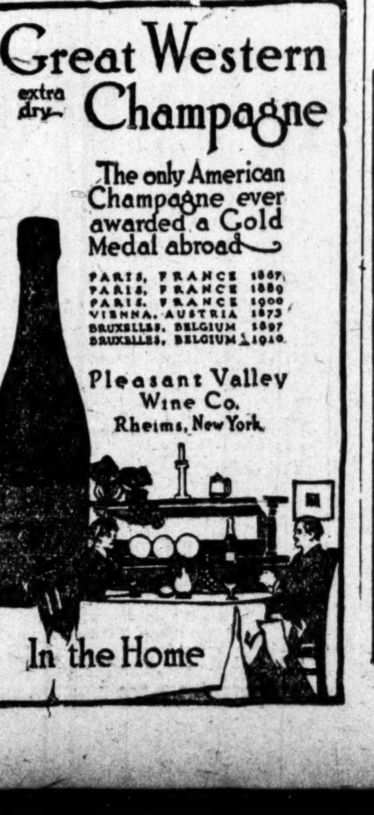

In the Home

COLLEGE MEN RACE IN MANUAL GAMES

Columbia Athletes Defeat Runners from Cornell and Other Universities.

Some sterling performances were the outcome last night of the fifth annual indoor athletic games of the Manual Training High School A. A., held in conjunction with the Fourteenth Regiment A. A. in the latter's armory. Probably 4,000 persons witnessed the sports which were replete with interesting contests. Most of the spectators were alumni of the school and the parents of the students, all of whom attested their interest in a convincing manner.

The event, which outshone in interest and from a competitive standpoint any of the others on the long list, was a half-mile relay race of a handicap nature for ex-Manualites, who are now students at several of the Eastern universities, namely: Harvard, Cornell, Columbia, University of Pennsylvania, and New York University.

This contest proved to be a thriller from end to end and was won by the quartet from Columbia, composed of Garther, Hays, Poscek, and Harding, who made the best possible use of their fifty-five yards allotment, and eventually won by about fifteen yards in the fast time of 1 minute 37 seconds.

The four from the Anvil Club and Cornell's relay contingent, made up of Wheeler, Lynch, Cadiz, and Cozzens, had a merry scramble for the place honors, with the finish as named a foot apart. Cozzens, Cornell's star quarter miler, just failed to get up at the end after having made a gallant fight to get into the lead around the last turn from which point he overran all of the field with the exception of the two men who beat him to the line. The Ithaca crowd was represented by three teams.

One record was cast into the discard when A. Hulsinbeck ran a half mile in 2:10 4-5, and displaced the former best figures of H. Reimer.

In the guests' box were seen such notables as Gen. George W. Wingate, Col. John H. Foote, and a number of the members of the Board of Education, all of whom make it a point to attend the Manual games each year. The armory was tastefully decorated with school and college colors, and despite the ban which is being placed upon school fraternities many Greek letter signs were in sight. The summary:

70-Yard Dash, Senior Handicap.—Final heat won by A. Goldstein, (scratch;) J. Reed, (2 feet,) second; C. Seabrook, (7 feet,) third. Time—0:07 4-5.

70-Yard Dash, Junior Handicap.—Final heat won by E. Fuerstein, (scratch;) B. MacNair, (6 feet,) second; C. Magil, (4 feet,) third. Time—0:08.

70-Yard Dash, Fourteenth Regiment, Handicap.—Final heat won by A. Neill, Company E, (8 feet;) W. Howard, Company E, (9 feet,) second; H. Usher, Company E, (8 feet,) third. Time—0:07 3-5.

440-Yard Run, Handicap.—Won by M. Weisman, (10 yards;) L. Turck, (15 yards,) second; J. Park, (15 yards,) third. Time—0:55 1-5.

One-Mile Run, Handicap.—Won by J. Viverito, (scratch;) J. Landis, (75 yards,) second; I. Ingalls, (10 yards,) third. Time—4:59.

880-Yard Run, Handicap.—Won by A. Holsenbeck, (scratch;) J. Campbell, (25 yards,) second; A. Lovely, (20 yards,) third. Time—2:10 4-5.

220-Yard Run, 120-Pound Class, Handicap.—Won by J. Reid, (2 yards;) E. Feuerstein, (scratch,) second; C. Turck, (2 yards,) third. Time—0:25.

One-Mile Run, Fourteenth Regiment, Handicap.—Won by John Gaffney, Co. M, (scratch;) T. Holcomb, Co. M, (79 yards,) second; A. J. Kaiser, Co. E, (80 yards,) third. Time—4:38.

70-Yard Hurdles, Scratch.—Won by J. Palmer; R. Sunderlin, second; F. Staiger, third. Time—0:10 3-5.

110-Yard Dash, Midgets, Handicap.—Final Heat—Won by MacPherson, (8 yards;) Bieber, (5 yards,) second; Saitta, (4 yards,) third. Time—0:12 4-5.

880-Yard Relay Race, Football Players.—Final Heat—Won by Curtis H. S. team, made up of M. Smith, W. Horton, E. Bernstein, and T. Lennon; Hamilton Institute team, made up of Cunningham, Brophy, Davis, and Gregory, second; Erasmus Hall H. S. team, made up of Matthews, Roome, Olsen, and Kephardt, third. Time—1:42 4-5.

220-Yard Run, Freshmen, Handicap—Final Heat.—Won by Wallace, (10 yards;) Weldon, (17 yards,) second; Healy, (5 yards,) third. Time—0:26 1-5.

220-Yard Run, Senior, Handicap—Final Heat.—Won by MacMair, (10 yards;) Stetson, (8 yards,) second; P. Luce, (scratch,) third. Time—0:25 2-5.

880-Yard Relay, ex-Manualites, Handicap.—Won by Columbia, team made up of Garther, Hays, Poszek, and Harding, (55 yards;) Anvil Club, team made up of Baer, Jordan, Selover, and Holmberg, (scratch,) second; Cornell, team made up of H. Lynch, Cadiz, R. Wheeler, and A. B. Cozzens, (4 yards,) third. Time—1:37.

South Orange "Nine" Honored.

Special to The New York Times.

SOUTH ORANGE, N. J., Dec. 27.—Members of the South Orange Field Club honored their baseball team, which last Summer won the championship title of the Amateur Baseball League for the fourth consecutive time, with a dinner at the clubhouse here to-night. Boyd J. Howarth, who captained the team last season, was presented with a silver loving cup by his team mates, and the players were the recipients of souvenirs from the club. Theodore S. Snyder, President of the club, presided, and among those who responded in the after dinner speaking were Frank S. Quinby, coach of the Yale 'Varsity team and a former South Orange Captain; former Capt. Howarth, Capt. Clifford Thropp, John Livingston, Manager C. R. McMillen, Homer Kilburn, and J. T. Pulling. Others of the players present were Hunt Worth, Abe Rachlin, John Strahan, George Wilkinson, Vaughan Lewis, Dave Mallay, Ernest McCabe, Charles Shons, Joseph Williams, and "Pop" Jewett.

WINNERS WITH THE CUE.

In last night's game of the amateur handicap three-cushion carrom billiard tournament at the Broadway Billiard Academy, Sixty-fifth Street and Broadway, Tony Rossi defeated Walter Jewell by the score of 16 to 12, in thirty innings. Both contestants were playing at the handicap of sixteen points. The winner displayed excellent form, and made a high run of 4 points. Jewell's best run was 2. This evening George Salisbury, who plays at the scratch mark, will attempt to score 20 points before George Ferguson can tally 18.

Last night's game in the amateur Class B 18.2 balk-line billiard tournament, at the Morningside Billiard Academy, 125th Street and Lenox Avenue, resulted in a rather easy victory for Charles Cerf, who defeated William Kranzer by the score of 150 to 54, in thirty-four innings, which gives him an average of 4 14-34. His high runs were 21 and 14 points. Kranzer's best run was 11.

Dave Louderbach showed a decided improvement in his form in the fourth block of his match with Charles Otis for the amateur three-cushion carrom billiard championship of Brooklyn at Keeney's Billiard Academy last night, as compared with the three preceding games, and, although he was not rewarded with victory, he nevertheless gave Otis a hard fight for the honors, losing by a three-point margin in the eighty-first inning. The final score was 50 to 47. Otis had a high run of 3 and Louderbach made one of 4 points. The total score for the four games is now 200 to 143, in favor of Otis.

The winners of the two games decided yesterday in the amateur pool tournament at Doyle's Billiard Academy were Dr. William G. Howe and J. H. Shoemaker. The former defeated William Tilt, the New York A. C. expert, in the afternoon game by the score of 85 to 76, and in the evening contest Shoemaker defeated Felix Olando by the score of 100 to 71.

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COLUMBIA'S CHESS TITLE.

Champions Rout Princeton in Deciding Game for Championship.

For the third time in succession Columbia won the annual chess tournament, the twenty-first of the series with Harvard, Yale, and Princeton, by taking three points out of four from Princeton in the match postponed from the first round and played off at the rooms of the Progressive Chess Club at the Café Monopol yesterday. The New York collegians at the beginning of the day's play increased their total of five points to six by the default of Van Vliet, who had also forfeited his games to Harvard and Yale. This left Columbia two more to obtain to win and 1½ points to tie Harvard. The victory was accomplished through the good play of S. H. Childs, '13 S, and A. P. Sachs, '13 S, who defeated their Princeton opponents in splendid style. E. L. Gluck, '13 L, on the other hand, suffered his first reverse after having won both games to date.

Columbia finished with a total score of 8 points, with Harvard, 7½ points, placed second. Next comes Yale, with 4½, Princeton bringing up the rear with 4. By means of this success Columbia overtook Harvard in the long series, of which the two leading chess universities have each nine to their credit. In addition, however, Harvard tied once with Yale. Princeton and Yale have each won one tournament outright.

The following table gives the pairings, openings, and results of yesterday's deciding match:

Boards.	COLUMBIA.		PRINCETON.	
1	H. A. Wise	1	B. F. Van Vliet	0
2	S. H. Childs	1	K. E. Stockton	0
3	E. L. Gluck	0	L. W. Jarman	1
4	A. P. Sachs	1	E. S. Carter	0
	Total	3	Total	1

Princeton had the move on the first and third boards. The openings: 1, forfeited; 2, Vienna; 3, French defense; 4, Dutch defense.

Appended are the final team and individual totals of the tournament:

COLUMBIA. Players.	W.	L.	HARVARD. Players.	W.	L.
Wise	2½	½	Winkelman	2	1
Childs	1½	1½	Seiniger	1½	1½
Gluck	2	1	Harris	2	1
Sachs	2	1	Morton	2	1
Total	8	4	Total	7½	4½

YALE. Players.	W.	L.	PRINCETON. Players.	W.	L.
Beach	1½	1½	Van Vliet	0	3
Robertson	2	1	Stockton	1	2
Terry	0	3	Jarman	2	1
Job	1	2	Carter	1	2
Total	4½	7½	Total	4	8

PENNSY VICTOR AGAIN.

Quakers Take Triangular College Chess League Championship.

The steady play of Rudolph Sze, the Chinese player representing the University of Pennsylvania in the fourteenth annual tournament of the Triangular College Chess League, now in progress at the rooms of the Brooklyn Chess Club, well supported by his teammate, M. J. Teitelbaum of Philadelphia, resulted in victory for the Quaker team at the conclusion of the third round yesterday evening. One more round remains to be contested to-day, but this will merely determine the relative positions and final score of the three teams. Pennsylvania has now a total of five and one-half points, which can no longer be reached. Cornell follows with three points, and Brown is last with half of a point.

In the second round, played in the morning, Pennsylvania and Cornell divided the three points, each taking one and one-half, Brown scoring nothing. In the third round, however, Pennsylvania again swept the boards, among the victims being one of the Cornell players. In that round, too, Brown tallied for the first time, R. E. Mitchell taking a hard-fought draw from Ehrlich of Cornell after seventy-five moves, the longest game of the tournament. The summaries:

SECOND ROUND.

Bds.	WHITE.		BLACK.	
1	Ehrlich, (C.)	1	Woolley, (B.)	0
2	Perkins, (C.)	½	Teitelbaum, (P.)	½
3	Mitchell, (B.)	0	Sze, (P.)	1
	Total	1½	Total	1½

The openings: 1, Ruy Lopez; 2, French defense; 3, king's bishop's gambit.

THIRD ROUND.

Bds.	WHITE.		BLACK.	
1	Mitchell, (B.)	½	Ehrlich, (C.)	½
2	Sze, (P.)	1	Perkins, (C.)	0
3	Woolley, (B.)	0	Teitelbaum, (P.)	1
	Total	1½	Total	1½

The openings: 1, Centre counter gambit; 2, Petroff defense; 3, Petroff defense.

National League Bulletin.

T. J. Lynch, President of the National League of Professional Baseball Clubs, last night announced the following contracts and releases:

Contracts—With Boston, Walter J. Maranville and Charles E. Brown; with Brooklyn, Frank L. Allen, Clifton G. Curtis, George W. Cutshaw, William F. Dahlen, Jacob E. Daubert, 1913, 1914, 1915; John E. Hummel, Herbert Moran, Patrick Ragan, G. N. Rucker, Zach. D. Wheat, and Bird H. Yingling; with Chicago, A. H. Bridwell, (assigned by Boston,) and M. F. Mitchell, (assigned by Cincinnati;) with Cincinnati, Joe B. Tinker.

Releases—By Boston to Buffalo, I. L., Arthur E. Schwind; by Cincinnati to Montreal, I. L., Howard McGraner; by Cincinnati to Ottumwa, C. A., Frank E. Gregory; by Pittsburgh to Philadelphia, N. L., Michael J. Donlin, (claimed under waiver rule;) by Pittsburgh to Louisville, A. A., Sherred Smith and Ovid Nicholson; by St. Louis to Springfield, C. L., John P. Kelleher; by St. Louis to Indianapolis, A. A., J. C. Galloway; by St. Louis to Montreal, I. L., Frank Gilhooley; by St. Louis to Beaumont, T. L., D. E. Willie.

Tigers Again Defeat Cornell at Hockey

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Dec. 27.—The Princeton University hockey team defeated the Cornell seven, five goals to three, here to-night. Baker scored three of the Princeton goals.

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THE TIPPING NEVER ENDS

And European Hotels Are Not as Luxuriously Furnished as Here—No Good Cream in Paris.

Gustav R. Schmidt, manager of the St. Regis, who started away on a honeymoon tour last Fall, is back, having discovered Europe. Mr. Schmidt, who crossed the Atlantic for the first time, found four wonderful places over there, which others and some of the natives call London, Paris, Berlin, and Monte Carlo. He said Berlin was the gayest of them all.

Mr. Schmidt was fingering lovingly a five-franc piece yesterday. It was cut almost half way across. It was a souvenir of his first experience on a Channel steamer, such as many another of his fellow-countrymen who get their first sight of French money on the way from Dover to Calais have been "up against." They saw the American was new to French money and they worked it off on him when he needed some French money for tips and bought a few pounds' worth of it from the purser.

He didn't know they had handed him a leaden coin until he went into a tobacco shop in Paris to get some cigars. He handed the shopkeeper the big coin and the latter looked at it and spoke not a word, but went to the back of his little place. He returned brandishing a huge pair of shears. In full sight of the astonished traveler he held up the coin in his left hand and clipped the shears into it. Then he handed it back.

"You ought to report this to the government," he said. Mr. Schmidt decided to pocket his loss and keep the coin as a pocket piece.

"I found many Americans in the lobbies of the Ritz in Paris and the Ritz in London that I knew," said Mr. Schmidt. "It was just as if I hadn't left New York. There were not so many in Berlin. At Monte Carlo I had a wonderful automobile ride to Cannes, 152 miles there and back, through the mountains, and the curious thing about it was the wonderful time we made. We didn't leave Monte Carlo until 9:30 o'clock in the morning, and though we stopped at some wonderful little restaurant on the way for lunch we were back by 3:30 o'clock. You could not make anything like that time anywhere about New York. I did not play in the Casino at Monte Carlo, but I gambled every time I ate outside my own hotel. They don't put the prices on the bills of fare, and I never knew what a meal was going to cost. In the Casino all the tables were going, though the opening of the regular season was still some months off. There were lots of peculiar looking old women sitting at the tables most of the time. One, whose name I could not learn, was playing very heavily and winning.

"I found a great difference between the tipping system over there and here. In New York the traveler knows that nobody who has done nothing for him expects him to give a tip. People told me the tipping system was being regulated in Europe, but I found everywhere that you never knew when you were through giving away money. So many persons would pop up with an expectant look, persons who had not even had a chance to do anything for me, and the line at the door when I made my escape from a hotel was awful.

"The American bar is a joke in Europe. They don't know how to mix American drinks over there. But the hotel people are all very courteous and hospitable.

"One peculiar thing that struck me in Paris was that I could not get good cream. In seeking the reason I was told by hotel men that the law in Paris does not permit cream to be taken from milk. Of course, there is not the same wide choice in vegetables over there that we are used to here. I could not get table celery anywhere that was fit to eat raw.

"Though there seemed to be few Americans in Berlin, and it was the off season, the hotels seemed crowded, and some of the managers told me they were turning away people every night. One peculiar thing I noticed almost everywhere was the absence of hotel registers. The only one I saw was in Berlin.

ARREST BUILDING INSPECTOR.

Accused of Graft and Department Is to be Investigated.

Reports of wholesale grafting in the Building Department were started yesterday following the arrest of Albert J. Whelan, an inspector, on the charge of extorting $25 from the New York Mail Company, which was repairing a garage at 530-532 East Twentieth Street. Whelan, when arraigned before Magistrate Herbert in the Essex Market Court, was held under $2,500 for the action of the Grand Jury, and it was asserted that the Grand Jury would be asked to investigate charges against other employes of the department at the same time.

Rudolph Miller, Superintendent of the Building Department for the Borough of Manhattan, has suspended Whelan and said yesterday that he was ready to coöperate with the police or District Attorney's office in an investigation. "We might as well get on the bandwagon as investigations seem to be very much the thing," said he, "but I doubt if any wholesale grafting, as you call it, will be exposed. I think that what grafting there is among the inspectors is in their dealings with the smaller builders, contractors and speculators.

"This is possible, and I do not doubt that there is a good deal of that kind of grafting going on. Some of the little contractors and speculators want to save money and are willing to pay the inspector if he will pass the work. But I don't believe any of the big contractors would do that. It wouldn't pay them, and the risk would be too great.

"Naturally these smaller builders don't make any complaint to the department because they are guilty as well as the inspector, and that makes it very difficult for us to get on the trail of the inspectors who are ready to accept graft. We have our suspicions now and then, however, and when we do find anything wrong the department is quick to act."

In the three years while he has been Superintendent Mr. Miller said that eight complaints had reached his ears of grafting and that investigations had resulted in the discharge of five inspectors. There are now 116 inspectors, all civil service appointees.

When Inspector Whelan was arrested in the garage he had $25 in marked bills in his pocket. He had made a complaint against the company for starting its work without a permit. Then, it is alleged, he agreed, on the payment of money, not to report it.

GRAIN EXPORTERS ORGANIZED

Canadian and American Interests Unite to Oppose Foreign Dictation.

Canadian grain operators have joined with American interests on the Produce Exchange here and various other grain trading Exchanges of the country to make common cause against the powerful organizations of grain buyers in England, who have heretofore dictated their own terms on export contracts. The Winnipeg, Toronto, and Montreal Exchanges sent delegates to a convention in New York, which took the first steps toward forming an international organization, which would do for the American grain sellers what the London Corn Trade Association, the Liverpool Corn Trade Association, and the Bristol Channel Corn Trade Association have done for the buyers on the other side, and an organization has now been formed, called the North American Export Grain Association, through which the Canadian and American exporters will work together toward remedying what they consider abuses in the present practices which the combined English associations force upon them. To make the new organization effective it only remains for the various commercial bodies which sent delegates to the New York convention to ratify the report of a sub-committee outlining the scope of the work. This report is now ready to go before the interested Exchanges.

ORDER TO DETAIN CASTRO.

Nagel Tells Williams to Hold Venezuelan Ex-President on Arrival.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Secretary Nagel of the Department of Commerce and Labor, following conferences with officials of the State Department, sent instructions to-day to the Commissioner of Immigration at Ellis Island to hold up ex-President Cipriana Castro of Venezuela upon his arrival, probably on Sunday morning, on the French Line steamship La Touraine from Bordeaux.

The specific character of these instructions require Commissioner Williams to cause Castro to be examined as to his right to enter the United States under the immigration laws. Commissioner Williams has been instructed that Castro must not be admitted without reference of the case to Washington. This will hold Castro until the State Department can obtain the documen[illegible] evidence of the charges for which [illegible] sent to the American Legation in V[illegible]a.

Neither at the State Department nor at the Department of Commerce and Labor will any official admit that the decision has been reached to deport Castro. But it is definitely known that these officials hope Castro will fall within the scope of some one of the "excluded classes" named in the immigration laws, which will make it mandatory to deport him at the expense of the steamship line bringing him into the United States.

Castro's record has been raked with a fine tooth comb in the last week. It has been definitely ascertained that he was once charged with murder, and again with complicity in attempted political assassination. These charges, according to records on file here, concerned the death of Gen. Antonio Parades in 1907, and the alleged attempt in December, 1908, to assassinate Juan Vincente Gomez, then Acting President, now President of Venezuela.

There is grave doubt here whether these charges can be utilized against Castro in trying to debar him from the United States, because an amnesty was granted on April 19, 1909, to all who were accused of participation in the alleged conspiracy to assassinate Gomez. As understood here in Government circles there has been no revocation, however, of the process issued against Castro in 1909 charging him with the murder of Gen. Parades.

If the immigration authorities at New York find Castro deportable he will have the right to appeal to Secretary Nagel. The law requires the officials at New York to notify Castro of this right.

ADVICE TO NEW HAVEN ROAD.

Prouty Says Reliability Comes Before Speed in Moving Freight.

BOSTON, Dec. 27.—Reliability was more important than dispatch in handling package freight, Chairman Prouty of the Inter-State Commerce Commission said to-day in his hearing on complaints against the Boston & Maine and the New Haven roads. Mr. Prouty disagreed with a statement by Vice President Buckland of the New Haven that the main line service on his road and the Boston & Maine was as good, if not better, than on any road in the country. He called Mr. Buckland's attention to the report that four of every hundred packages on the New England roads went astray and often were "lost" three or four days.

"There ought to be some way to ascertain why so many packages go astray," the Chairman commented. "If the system is wrong, it should be revised. If the employes are unreliable, more reliable men should be engaged, even if it is necessary to pay more money. You have given much attention to dispatch, but reliability is more important."

Officers of the roads were asked to give statistics showing the quantity of through freight passing through nineteen junction point, which, if the merger of the two roads did not exist, would be competitive points.

Dr. Harold Pender, of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, testified that an investigation by students of delays in tracing freight when called for by teamsters in freight yards showed teamsters were obliged to spend about 20 per cent. of their time looking for the goods.

Special to The New York Times.

NEW HAVEN, Dec. 27.—Resolutions were passed to-night by the Chamber of Commerce expressing confidence in the integrity of the officials of the New Haven Road and in their intention to give the people of New England safe and cheap transportation. The resolutions deplored the action of agitators, chiefly outside of Connecticut, who "largely for political reasons" had stirred enmity against the railroad system and had prejudiced the traveling public against the road.

HARTFORD, Dec. 27.—Asserting that much of the criticism made of late against the officers and management of the New Haven Road was "vicious, unreasoning, and uncalled for," the Connecticut Manufacturers' Association in annual convention adopted late to-day a resolution deprecating such criticism and expressing its belief in the "general policy of unification of the transportation facilities of New England adopted by the officers and management of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company," and extending to the company its coöperation.

ELY ESTATE $1,096,373.

Former Mayor of New York Had Also Established a Large Trust Fund.

An appraisal of the estate of Smith Ely, Mayor of New York in 1877 and 1878, transmitted yesterday to the Surrogates' Court by Appraiser Joseph I. Berry, shows a net estate of $1,096,373.11. The existence of a $399,624.24 trust fund, established in 1907 is also revealed in accompanying statements. This fund is exclusive of the estate appraised.

The gross personalty is valued at $670,817.12, of which $70,545.37 represents bank deposits and $323,290.54 represents bonds and mortgages and personal chattels. The other items in the personalty are made up of various securities, among them 200 shares of the preferred stock of the American Chicle Company, valued at $21,000; 100 shares of the common stock of the same corporation, valued at $27,000; 2,000 shares of the Brooklyn City Railroad Company, valued at $33,600; 200 shares of the Brooklyn Union Gas Company, valued at $28,200, and corporate stock of the City of New York, valued at $20,000.

The gross realty has been appraised at $492,980.20. There are forty-five different pieces of property enumerated in the list, most of them situated in Manhattan. Among the realty is property at the northeast corner of West and Watts Streets, valued at $90,000; 87 Gold Street, valued at $42,500, and 57 West Fifty-seventh Street, valued at $37,500.

An agreement between Mr. Ely and the United States Trust Company of New York, dated May 29, 1907, and appended to the appraisal, shows the establishment of a trust fund for "the use, support and benefit of various persons mentioned." Mr. Ely was to receive the income quarterly during his life, after which it was to be distributed among some forty beneficiaries. Upon the death of certain grandnieces or the reduction of the number of surviving beneficiaries to ten, the principal was to be divided among the beneficiaries in equal shares.

Mr. Ely, who died on July 1, 1907, at Livingston, N. J., was unmarried. By his will the bulk of his estate went to charity. Specific bequests were $50,000 to the Morris County Children's Home, Morristown, N. J.; $50,000 to the Fresh Air Home for Crippled Children; $50,000 to the East Side Mission of the Madison Square Presbyterian Church, New York City; $10,000 to the West Side Day Nursery, $10,000 to the Spring Street Presbyterian Church, $5,000 to the Seventh Presbyterian Church, $50,000 to the Orange Memorial Hospital, $50,000 to Overlook Hospital, Summit, N. J.; $100,000 to the Children's Aid Society of New York City, $100,000 to the New York Society for the Improvement of the Condition of the Poor, $100,000 to the Board of Church Erection of the Presbyterian Church of the United States, $100,000 to the New York City Mission and Tract Society, and $50,000 to the American Sunday School Union.

There are seventy-one different bequests in the will, most of them to persons who were not related to him. Maria L. Vanderpoel, a sister, receives $31,813.40; Ambrose E. Vanderpoel, a nephew, $19,840; William H. Ely, brother, $19,095.48, and another brother, Edwin A. Ely, receives $24,278.48.

The executors of the estate are Cheever N. Ely of 140 West Fifty-eighth Street, George V. Vanderpoel of Summit, N. J., and Ambrose E. Vanderpoel of Summit, N. J.

BROADWAY LIGHTS TO BE AS A BLAZE

Street Association Intends to Eliminate Posts and Have Lamps Every 20 or 30 Feet.

NOTHING LIKE IT ANYWHERE

This Is to be the Brightest Street of Any City from 23d Street to Times Square.

A plan to make Broadway, from Twenty-third Street to Times Square, a real White Way, was discussed yesterday at the meeting of the Executive Committee of the Broadway Association at the Hotel Imperial. It was represented that if the advertising signs and the lights in the store windows were eliminated, Broadway would be dark, but that if the members of the association and other property owners would consent to pay a small sum weekly for lighting, Broadway could be made brighter than any street in any city.

The proposal was discussed before the Executive Committee by Arthur Williams of the New York Edison Company, F. A. Muschenheim of the Hotel Astor, Copeland Townsend and others. At present the only lighting provided by the city is from arc lamps at the street corners. They are found too few in number and are insufficient in brilliancy, besides their standards cast heavy shadows. The cost to the city for their maintenance is 90 cents a night.

It is now proposed to do away with the tall poles altogether, thus clearing the sidewalks of obstructions and getting rid of the shadows, and to have lamps suspended from brackets attached to buildings. It was reckoned that these should be placed at about twenty to thirty feet apart, which would, of course, mean that the individual lights would not be nearly as powerful as those now supplied by the city. The cost of each of these lights, it was said, would not be more than 75 cents a night each, and that as the brilliancy of Broadway would add greatly to its attractivness, the individual property owners or lessees would be glad to establish this system at their own cost.

The subject is to be taken up again at the meeting of the Executive Committee next Friday, when Commissioner Thompson of the Department of Electricity, Borough President McAneny, Robert W. de Forest, Chairman of the Municipal Art Commission, Charles R. Lamb, E. W. Frothingham, and B. L. Fenner of McKim, Mead & White will be invited to be present.

Henry G. Opdycke, consulting engineer of the Broadway Association, reported that some of the property owners near Broadway and Thirty-eighth Street were about to approach the Public Service Commission to ask for the establishment of a local station on the B. R. T. subway at Thirty-eighth Street. The committee indorsed this suggestion. The Broadway Association had already supported the proposal to place a station on the Sixth Avenue elevated at the same street, which it was understood the commission was likely to order. When the Public Service Commissioners held a hearing on the new subway stations they were requested to place a local stop at Thirty-eighth or Thirty-seventh Street on the Interborough Seventh Avenue line.

F. A. Muschenheim made a report to the Executive Committee of the progress made by his sub-committee on the Times Square station on the B. R. T. subway. This has been urging the Public Service Commission to place the B. R. T. station immediately under the present Interborough station and connecting all the subway stations at this point by a large subgrade concourse, stretching from Seventh Avenue on the west to Broadway on the east and from Forty-fifth Street to Fortieth Street and Seventh Avenue. The brief to be submitted to the Public Service Commission by the Broadway and Times Square Association was also reported to the meeting.

A letter was received from John N. Lyle complaining of the danger of the subway stations at Seventy-second, 103d and 116th Streets, which are built in the centre of Broadway. Mr. Lyle represented that with the traffic so thick in Broadway there was grave risk for any one leaving or entering these stations of being run down by an automobile or street car.

STEAMSHIP LINE INSOLVENT.

S. P. Wetherill Appointed Receiver of Philadelphia & Gulf.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 27.—The United States Court here to-day appointed Samuel P. Wetherill receiver for the Philadelphia & Gulf Steamship Company, which operates a line of freight steamers between Philadelphia and New Orleans.

The company was organized in 1908 with a capital of $1,000,000. The petition for the receiver states that the company operated the steamers at a loss and that it is insolvent.

Weekly Failure Report.

Bradstreet's reports 253 business failures in the United States during the week, against 322 for the previous week and 304, 251, 257, and 299 for the corresponding weeks of 1911 to 1908. The Middle States had 97, New England, 25, Southern 56, Western 45, Northwestern 13, and Far Western 17. Canada had 19, against 27 for the preceding week. About 87 per cent. of the total number of concerns failing had capital of $5,000 or less and 10 per cent. had from $5,000 to $20,000 capital.

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICES.

RENSKORF, LYON & Co.—Certificate of continuation of limited partnership.

We, the undersigned, being desirous of continuing the limited partnership heretofore formed, pursuant to the statutes of the State of New York, do hereby certify as follows:

(1) That the name of the firm under which said partnership was formed, conducted, and is to be continued, is RENSKORF, LYON & CO., and the County wherein the principal place of business is located is in the County of New York, in the State of New York.

(2) The general nature of the business intended to be transacted is a general brokerage and commission business, the dealing in stock, bonds, and other securities, grain, cotton, and other commodities, all on a commission basis.

(3) That the names of all the general partners and special partners interested therein, distinguishing which are general and which are special partners, and their respective places of residence, are as follows: Harry Renskorf, general partner, residing at 24 West Forty-fifth Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York; Walter Lyon, general partner, residing at 216 West 100th Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York; James Theus Munds, general partner, residing at 316 West Ninety-third Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City; Edwin G. Kaufmann, special partner, residing at 250 West Eighty-second Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, and William Bouldin, 3d, special partner, residing at 27 Ely Place, East Orange, New Jersey.

All of the above general and special partners are of full age.

(4) That the amount of capital which each of the special partners has contributed to the common stock of the said limited partnership is as follows: Edwin G. Kaufmann, One hundred thousand dollars ($100,000;) William Bouldin, 3d, One hundred thousand dollars ($100,000,) and said capital is unimpaired.

(5) That the said partnership is to be renewed and continued from the 31st day of December, 1912, to the 31st day of December, 1913.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF we have hereunto set our hands and seals this 26th day of November, 1912.

HARRY RENSKORF,
WALTER LYON,
JAMES THEUS MUNDS,
EDWIN G. KAUFMANN,
WILLIAM BOULDIN, 3D.

State of New York, County of New York, ss.:

On this 26th day of November, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, before me personally appeared Harry Renskorf, Walter Lyon, James Theus Munds, Edwin G. Kaufmann, and William Bouldin, 3d, to me known and known to me to be the individuals described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and they severally duly acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

ARTHUR GARFIELD HAYS,
Notary Public, Westchester Co.
Certificate filed in New York Co.

State of New York, County of New York, ss.:

WALTER LYON, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is one of the general partners named in the foregoing Certificate of the continuation of the limited partnership of RENSKORF, LYON & CO. That the sums specified in said Certificate to have been contributed to the common stock by each of the Special Partners, in said Certificate named, have been actually and in good faith paid in cash.

WALTER LYON.

Sworn to before me this 26th day of November, 1912.

ARTHUR GARFIELD HAYS,
Notary Public, Westchester Co.
Certificate filed in New York Co.

NEW YORK PRODUCE EXCHANGE BANK

Member of the New York Clearing House Association.

Condensed Quarterly Report at the Close of Business on the 26th day of Dec., 1912.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	$7,440,780.37
Securities	1,550,460.00
Due from Banks	426,870.13
Cash and cash items	3,758,723.52
Banking house and lot	670,000.00
Safe deposit vaults, furniture and fixtures, head office and branches	125,000.00
Accrued interest, (net)	24,111.00
Total	$13,995,945.02

LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock	$1,000,000.00
Surplus and undivided profits (earned)	883,003.55
Deposits	12,099,441.47
Reserved for taxes	13,500.00
Total	$13,995,945.02

OFFICERS.

FORREST H. PARKER, President.
JOHN R. WOOD, Vice President and Cashier.
ADELBERT H. ALDEN, Vice President.
THOMAS B. NICHOLS, Asst. Cashier.

DIRECTORS.

Adelbert H. Alden, President New York Commercial Co.
John E. Berwind, Vice President Berwind-White Coal Co.
John A. Hance, Jesup & Lamont, Bankers.
Walter C. Hubbard, Hubbard Bros. & Co., Cotton Merchants.
James McMahon, ex-President Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank.
Forrest H. Parker, ex-President New York Produce Exchange.
Edward C. Rice, Rice, Quinby & Co., Commission Merchants, Grain and Flour.
Albert S. Roe, Director Ontario Car. & S. R. R.
John E. Weeks, M. D., 46 East 57th Street, New York.
John R. Wood, Vice President and Cashier.

ACCOUNTS INVITED.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

THE MUTUAL BANK

at the close of business on the 26th day of December, 1912:

RESOURCES.		
Stocks and bonds, viz.:		
Public securities, market value		$101,500.00
Other securities, market value		85,723.75
Real estate owned		507,226.48
Mortgages owned		40,200.00
Loans and discounts secured by bond and mortgage, deed, or other real estate collateral		280,800.00
Loans and discounts secured by other collateral		1,603,889.82
Loans and discounts without collateral		2,736,805.38
Overdrafts		3,425.08
Due from trust companies, banks, and bankers		692,794.16
Specie		35,001.37
Legal-tender notes and notes of National banks		790,947.00
Cash items		159,558.76
Other assets, viz.:		
Accrued interest not entered		15,000.00
Total		$7,052,871.80
LIABILITIES.		
Capital stock		$200,000.00
Surplus, including all undivided profits		445,645.12
Unpaid dividends, reserved for taxes, &c., viz.:		
Unpaid dividends	$180.00	
Reserved for taxes	4,500.00	
		4,680.00
Preferred deposits	$222,724.28	
Deposits not preferred	5,898,572.95	
Due trust companies, banks, and bankers	28,118.33	
Total deposits		6,149,415.56
Other liabilities, viz.:		
Cashier's checks outstanding	$36,131.12	
Mortgages on real estate owned	190,000.00	
Accrued interest not entered	27,000.00	
		253,131.12
Total		$7,052,871.80

State of New York, County of New York, ss.:

CHARLES A. SACKETT, President, and HUGH N. KIRKLAND, Cashier, of The Mutual Bank, a bank located and doing business at Nos. 49-51 West 33rd Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said county, being duly sworn, each for himself, says that the foregoing report is true and correct in all respects, to the best of his knowledge and belief, and they further say that the usual business of said bank has been transacted at the location required by the banking law, (Chap. 2 of the Consolidated Laws, as amended,) and not elsewhere; and that the above report is in the form prescribed by the Superintendent of Banks, and is made in compliance with an official notice received from him designating the 26th day of December, 1912, as the day as of which such report shall be made.

CHARLES A. SACKETT, President.
HUGH N. KIRKLAND, Cashier.

Severally subscribed and sworn to by both deponents, the 27th day of December, 1912, before me.

ROBT. R. GREASON,
[Seal of Notary.] Notary Public,
New York County, No. 93.
New York Register No. 4,060.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

COLUMBIA BANK

at the close of business on the 26th day of December, 1912:

RESOURCES.		
Stocks and bonds, viz.:		
Public securities, market value		$1,010.00
Other securities, market value		197,083.34
Real estate owned		144,375.09
Mortgages owned		94,438.89
Loans and discounts secured by bond and mortgage, deed or other real estate collateral		28,500.00
Loans and discounts secured by other collateral		840,463.43
Loans and discounts without collateral		5,351,036.92
Overdrafts		1,267.79
Due from trust companies, banks and bankers		856,911.61
Specie		673,179.39
Legal tender notes and notes of National banks		575,960.00
Cash items		416,304.80
Other assets, viz.:		
Furniture and fixtures	$20,000.00	
Accrued interest not entered	5,824.76	
		25,824.76
Total		$9,206,356.02
LIABILITIES.		
Capital stock		$300,000.00
Surplus, including all undivided profits		815,122.58
Unpaid dividends; reserved for taxes, etc.		8,000.00
Preferred deposits	$173,803.24	
Deposits not preferred	7,710,853.06	
Due trust companies, banks and bankers	49,252.61	
		7,933,908.91
Other liabilities, viz.:		
Cashier's checks outstanding	$3,324.53	
Mortgages on real estate owned	113,000.00	
Accrued interest not entered, estimated	83,000.00	
		1,493,324.53
Total		$9,206,356.02

State of New York, County of New York, ss.:

JOSEPH FOX, President, and WALTER S. GRIFFITH, Cashier of Columbia Bank, a bank located and doing business at No. 507 Fifth Avenue, in the City of New York, in said county, being duly sworn, each for himself, says the foregoing Report is true and correct in all respects, to the best of his knowledge and belief, and they further say that the usual business of said bank has been transacted at the location required by the Banking Law (Chap. 2 of the Consolidated Laws as amended,) and not elsewere; and that the above report is in the form prescribed by the Superintendent of Banks, and is made in compliance with an official notice received from him, designating the 26th day of December, 1912, as the day as of which such report shall be made.

JOSEPH FOX, President.
WALTER S. GRIFFITH, Cashier.

Severally subscribed and sworn to by both deponents, the 27th day of December, 1912, before me.

GEO. STOLL,
N. Y. County, No. 50, N. Y. Register's No. 4186, Notary Public, Westchester County.
Certificate filed in New York County.
[Seal of Notary.]

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

COLONIAL BANK

at the close of business on the 26th day of December, 1912:

RESOURCES.		
Stocks and bonds, viz.:		
Public securities, market value		$42,152.50
Other securities, market value		222,262.63
Mortgages owned		25,750.00
Loans and discounts secured by collateral		1,706,751.92
Loans and discounts without collateral		4,371,534.59
Overdrafts		2,533.00
Due from trust companies, banks, and bankers		960,991.69
Specie		1,003,591.71
Legal-tender notes and notes of National banks		269,214.00
Cash items		380,721.19
Accrued interest not entered		5,500.00
Total		$8,991,003.23
LIABILITIES.		
Capital stock		$400,000.00
Surplus, including all undivided profits		592,156.62
Unpaid dividends, reserved for taxes, &c.		14,920.38
Preferred deposits	$106,059.17	
Deposits not preferred	7,751,517.27	
Due trust companies, banks, and bankers	31,393.44	
		7,888,969.88
Cashier's checks outstanding	$85,427.87	
Accrued interest entered	8,028.48	
Accrued interest not entered	1,500.00	
		94,956.35
Total		$8,991,003.23

State of New York, County of New York, ss.:

ALEXANDER WALKER, President, and GEORGE S. CARR, Cashier, of the Colonial Bank, a bank located and doing business at No. 441 Columbus Avenue, in the City of New York, in said county, being duly sworn, each for himself, says that the foregoing report is true and correct in all respects, to the best of his knowledge and belief, and they further say that the usual business of said bank has been transacted at the location required by the banking law, (Chap. 2 of the Consolidated Laws as amended,) and not elsewhere; and that the above report is in the form prescribed by the Superintendent of Banks, and is made in compliance with an official notice received from him, designating the 26th day of December, 1912, as the day as of which such report shall be made.

ALEXANDER WALKER, President.
GEORGE S. CARR, Cashier.

Severally subscribed and sworn to by both deponents the 27th day of December, 1912, before me.

ALEXANDER C. WALKER,
Notary Public, New York Co.
[Seal of Notary.] Certificate No. 10.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

THE GREENWICH BANK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK

at the close of business on the 26th day of December, 1912:

RESOURCES.		
Public securities, market value		$152,960.00
Other securities, market value		28,875.00
Real estate owned		115,000.00
Mortgages owned		3,000.00
Loans and discounts secured by bond and mortgage, deed, or other real estate collateral		65,496.75
Loans and discounts secured by other collateral		1,675,801.48
Loans and discounts without collateral		7,089,303.43
Overdrafts		45.84
Due from trust companies, banks, and bankers		1,561,390.86
Specie		2,394,362.98
Legal tender notes and notes of National banks		219,000.00
Cash items		819,545.29
Furniture and fixtures	$8,900.00	
Safe deposit vaults	33,500.00	
Accrued interest not entered	10,200.00	
		52,600.00
Total		$14,177,381.63
LIABILITIES.		
Capital stock		$500,000.00
Surplus, including all undivided profits		987,281.95
Unpaid dividends; reserved for taxes, &c., viz.:		
Unpaid dividends	$7,858.00	
Reserved for taxes	13,329.11	
		21,187.11
Preferred deposits	$558,618.51	
Deposits not preferred	10,348,385.29	
Due trust companies, banks, and bankers	1,744,067.16	
		12,651,070.96
Cashier's checks outstanding	$7,150.39	
Accrued interest entered	9,691.22	
Accrued interest not entered	1,000.00	
		17,841.61
Total		$14,177,381.63

State of New York, County of New York, ss.:

WILLIAM C. DUNCAN, President, and FRANK HAMMOND, Cashier, of The Greenwich Bank of the City of New York, a bank located and doing business at No. 402 Hudson St., in the City of New York, in said county, being duly sworn, each for himself, says that the foregoing report is true and correct in all respects, to the best of his knowledge and belief, and they further say that the usual business of said bank has been transacted at the location required by the Banking Law, (Chap. 2 of the Consolidated Laws as amended,) and not elsewhere; and that the above report is in the form prescribed by the Superintendent of Banks, and is made in compliance with an official notice received from him designating the 26th day of December, 1912, as the day as of which such report shall be made.

W. C. DUNCAN, President.
FRANK HAMMOND, Cashier.

Severally subscribed and sworn to by both deponents the 27th day of December, 1912, before me.

RUDOLPH A. BAKER,
[Seal of Notary.] Notary Public
of Kings County, No. 35.
Certificate filed New York County, No. 25.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

THE BANK OF AMERICA,

at the close of business on the 26th day of December, 1912:

RESOURCES.		
Stocks and bonds, viz.:		
Public securities, market value		$1,010.00
Other securities, market value		3,508,961.50
Real estate owned		900,000.00
Loans and discounts secured by bond and mortgage, deed or other real estate collateral		5,000.00
Loans and discounts secured by other collateral		9,660,433.09
Loans and discounts without collateral		9,806,191.11
Overdrafts		3,782.35
Due from trust companies, banks and bankers		1,350,597.61
Specie		3,641,480.74
Legal tender notes and notes of National banks		1,492,045.00
Cash items		13,443,407.63
Other assets, viz.:		
Accrued interest not entered		87,800.00
Total		$43,900,619.03
LIABILITIES.		
Capital stock		$1,500,000.00
Surplus, including all undivided profits		6,488,581.24
Unpaid dividends; reserved for taxes, &c., viz.:		
Unpaid dividends	$658.00	
Reserved for taxes	21,507.18	
		22,165.18
Due N. Y. State savings banks	$3,391,754.94	
Deposits not preferred	23,312,365.37	
Due trust companies, banks and bankers	9,125,284.05	
Total deposits		35,829,404.36
Other liabilities, viz.:		
Cashier's checks outstanding	$28,368.25	
Accrued interest not entered	32,100.00	
		60,468.25
Total		$43,900,619.03

State of New York, County of New York, ss.:

WILLIAM H. PERKINS, President, and WALTER M. BENNET, Cashier, of the Bank of America, a bank located and doing business at Nos. 44 and 46 Wall Street, in the City of New York, in said county, being duly sworn, each for himself says that the foregoing report is true and correct in all respects, to the best of his knowledge and belief, and they further say that the usual business of said bank has been transacted at the location required by the Banking Law (Chap. 2 of the Consolidated Laws as amended,) and not elsewhere; and that the above report is in the form prescribed by the Superintendent of Banks, and is made in compliance with an official notice received from him, designating the 26th day of December, 1912, as the day as of which such report shall be made.

WILLIAM H. PERKINS, President.
WALTER M. BENNET, Cashier.

Severally subscribed and sworn to by both deponents, the 27th day of December, 1912, before me.

B. DENZLER,
[Seal of Notary.]
Notary Public, Kings Co.
Certificate filed in New York Co.

DIVIDENDS.

LEHIGH VALLEY COAL SALES CO.
New York, December 27, 1912.

The Board of Directors of the Lehigh Valley Coal Sales Company have this day declared a dividend of Two and One-Half Per Cent., ($1.25 per share,) payable January 20, 1913, to those stockholders of the Company who are holders of full share certificates of stock, registered on the Company's books at the close of business January 7, 1913. Checks will be mailed.

W. J. BURTON, Treasurer.

New York County National Bank.
New York, December 27th, 1912.
121ST DIVIDEND.

The Directors of this bank have to-day declared a semi-annual dividend of Twenty Per Cent., payable on the second day of January, 1913. Transfer books to be closed from December 27th, 1912, to January 2d, 1913, both dates inclusive.

THOS A. PAINTER, Cashier.

The National Butchers & Drovers Bank.
New York, December 19th, 1912.

The Board of Directors of this Bank have this day declared a semi-annual dividend of Three (3%) Per Cent., free of tax, payable on and after January 2d, 1913. The transfer books will be closed from December 19th, 1912, to January 2d, 1913.

WM. H. CHASE, Cashier.

WESTCHESTER & BRONX TITLE & MORTGAGE GUARANTY CO.
White Plains, N. Y., December 20, 1912.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a semi-annual dividend of THREE PER CENT. on the capital stock of this Company, payable on January 6th, 1913, to stockholders of record at the close of business on December 31st, 1912.

FRANCIS M. CARPENTER, Treasurer.

AMERICAN BRAKE SHOE & FOUNDRY CO.
Preferred Stock Dividend.
New York, December 10, 1912.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a quarterly dividend of 1¾% upon the outstanding preferred stock of this company, payable December 31, 1912, to stockholders of record on December 20, 1912.

HENRY C. KNOX, Secretary.

CENTRAL UNION GAS COMPANY.

The coupons due January 1, 1913, attached to the First Mortgage bonds of this Company, will be paid at the office of H. B. Hollins & Co., 15 Wall Street, New York City.

PHILIP J. SCHNEIDER, Treasurer.
December 27th, 1912.

MINES COMPANY OF AMERICA.
New York, December 16th, 1912.

A dividend of One and One-quarter Per Cent. for the quarter ending December 31st, 1912, will be paid on January 25th, 1913, to stockholders of record on January 10th.

J. D. TOOKER, Secretary.

THE WASHINGTON WATER POWER CO.
Spokane, Washington, December 14, 1912.

A quarterly dividend of two per cent. (2%) has been declared, payable January 2, 1913, to stockholders of record of December 14, 1912.

D. L. HUNTINGTON, President.

DIVIDENDS.

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219th Consecutive Semi-Annual Dividend

The Merchants National Bank

OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
42 Wall Street.
December 26, 1912.

The Board of Directors has this day declared a dividend of FOUR (4%) PER CENT., free of tax, payable January 2, 1913, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 26, 1912.

JOSEPH BYRNE, Cashier.

The United States Finishing Co.

320 Broadway, N. Y., December 19, 1912.

PREFERRED STOCK DIVIDEND NO. 54.

The Board of Directors have this day declared the regular quarterly dividend of One and Three-Quarters Per Cent. (1¾%) upon the Preferred Stock of this Company, payable January 1, 1913, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 21, 1912.

COUPON NO. 17, due January 1, 1913, on consolidated mortgage 5 per cent. gold bonds of this Company will be paid at the office of The Equitable Trust Company, 37 Wall Street, New York City.

COUPON NO. 23, due January 1, 1913, on first mortgage 5 per cent. bonds of THE STERLING DYEING AND FINISHING COMPANY will be paid at the office of the Equitable Trust Company, 37 Wall Street, New York City.

F. S. JEROME, Treasurer.

258th Consecutive Semi-Annual Dividend

ESTABLISHED 1784.

The Bank of New York

National Banking Association

New York, Dec. 17th, 1912.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a semi-annual dividend of Eight (8%) per cent., payable on and after January 2d, 1913.

The transfer books will remain closed from Dec. 21st, 1912, to Jan. 2d, 1913.

JOSEPH ANDREWS, Cashier.

213th DIVIDEND

Chartered 1799.

Bank of The Manhattan Company,
New York, December 19, 1912.

The President and Directors of the Manhattan Company have this day declared a dividend of 7% out of the earnings of the past six months, and an extra dividend of 1% for the year ending December 31, 1912, free from tax, payable January 2, 1913, to Stockholders of record at the close of business December 27, 1912. Transfer books to remain closed until January 2, 1913.

D. H. PIERSON, Cashier.

The Market and Fulton

National Bank

New York, December 24th, 1912.

A QUARTERLY dividend of Three Per Cent. upon the capital stock of this Bank has been declared, payable, free of tax, on and after January 2d, 1913. The transfer books will be closed until that date.

T. J. STEVENS, Cashier.

AMERICAN COAL PRODUCTS CO.
December 23, 1912.

A Quarterly Dividend of One and Three-quarters Per Cent. (1¾%) has been declared on the Common Capital Stock of the American Coal Products Company, payable on December 31, to stockholders of record December 23, 1912. Also a Quarterly Dividend of One and Three-Quarters Per Cent. (1¾%) has been declared on the Preferred Capital Stock, payable on January 15, 1913, to Preferred Stockholders of record January 10, 1913.

ERNEST J. STEER, Treasurer.

DIVIDEND NO. 125.

The Hanover Fire Insurance Co.
New York, Dec. 19, 1912.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors, held this day, a Quarterly Dividend of Four (4) Per Cent. was declared, payable at the Office of the Company, HANOVER BUILDING, Nos. 34 and 36 Pine Street, on the second day of January, 1913, to Stockholders of record December 23rd, 1912.

Transfer books to be closed from December 23rd, 1912, to January 3rd, 1913, both dates inclusive.

JOSEPH McCORD, Secretary.

NOTICE OF DIVIDEND.

OLD DOMINION STEAMSHIP COMPANY.
New York, December 19, 1912.

The seventy-fourth semi-annual DIVIDEND OF THREE PER CENT. (3%) on the capital stock of the Company has this day been declared out of the earnings by the Board of Directors, payable January 2nd, 1913, to the stockholders of record at 12:00 M., December 20th, 1912.

The stock transfer books of this Company will be closed from 12:00 M., December 20th, 1912, to 10:00 A. M., January 2nd, 1913, inclusive.

W. L. WOODROW, Secretary.

American Bankers Safety Company
New York, Dec. 19th, 1912.

A quarterly dividend of One and Three-Quarters Per Cent. (1¾%) has been declared to-day on the preferred stock, payable on December 31st, 1912, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 21st. Checks will be mailed.

CHARLES E. SELOVER, Asst. Treasurer.

The Peoples Bank of the City of New York.
December 19, 1912.

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-THIRD CONSECUTIVE SEMI-ANNUAL DIVIDEND.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a semi-annual dividend of FIVE PER CENT., free of tax, payable on and after January 2, 1913. The transfer books will be closed on the 21st inst. at 12 M. and reopened January 2d, 1913, at 10 o'clock A. M.

WILLIAM MILNE, Cashier.

THE BANK OF AMERICA.
New York, December 20th, 1912.

The Board of Directors have to-day declared a semi-annual dividend of fourteen (14) per cent., free of tax, payable January 2nd, 1913, to stockholders of record of this date.

The transfer books will remain closed until January 3rd, 1913.

W. M. BENNET, Cashier.

THE HANOVER NATIONAL BANK of the City of New York.
New York, December 20, 1912.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a quarterly dividend of FOUR PER CENT., free of tax, payable on and after January 2d, 1913. Transfer books will remain closed from December 21st, 1912, to that date.

ELMER E. WHITTAKER, Cashier.

GARFIELD NATIONAL BANK, Fifth Avenue & Twenty-third St.
New York, December 24 1912.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors, held this day, a Quarterly Dividend of THREE PER CENT. upon the Capital Stock of this bank was declared, payable, free of tax, on and after December 31, 1912.

The Transfer Books will be closed until Thursday, January 2, 1913.

A. W. SNOW, Cashier.

The Delaware, Lackawanna & Western R. R. Co.
New York, December 26, 1912.

A dividend of two and one-half (2½) per cent. was this day declared on the stock of this Company, payable January 20, 1913.

The transfer books will close January 4th and reopen January 10, 1913.

ARTHUR D. CHAMBERS,
Secretary & Treasurer.

Merchants Exchange National Bank of the City of New York.
December 17, 1912.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a semi-annual dividend of THREE PER CENT., free of tax, payable on and after January 2, 1913, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 20, 1912.

E. V. GAMBIER, Cashier.

OFFICE OF THE UNITED GAS IMPROVEMENT COMPANY, N. W. Corner Broad and Arch Sts. Philadelphia, Dec. 11, 1912.

The Directors have this day declared a quarterly dividend of two per cent., ($1.00 per share,) payable Jan. 15, 1913, to stockholders of record at the close of business Dec. 31, 1912. Checks will be mailed.

LEWIS LILLIE, Treasurer.

AMERICAN BRAKE SHOE & FOUNDRY CO.
Common Stock Dividend.
New York, December 10, 1912.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a quarterly dividend of 1¾% upon the outstanding common stock of this company, payable December 31, 1912, to stockholders of record on December 20, 1912.

HENRY C. KNOX, Secretary.

PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS FOR MANUFACTURING OVERCOATS.—Army Building, Whitehall Street, New York City, N. Y., November 30, 1912.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received here until 1 o'clock P. M. December 30, 1912, at which exact time bids will be opened at the depots named below, for manufacture and delivery at either the New York, Philadelphia, or Chicago Depots of the Quartermaster Corps, 25,000 o. d. overcoats, specification No. 1159. Information upon application. M. GRAY ZALINSKY, Depot Q. M.

U. S. ENGINEER OFFICE, ROOM 2, CUSTOM House, Norfolk, Va., Dec. 28, 1912.—Sealed proposals for the removal of the iron Barge FLORIDA, sunk in Hampton Roads, Va., will be received in this office until 12 o'clock noon, Jan. 28, 1913, and then publicly opened. Information on application. E. EVELETH WINSLOW, Lt. Col., Engrs.

MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS OF

The Public Bank of New York City.

Please take notice that a special meeting of the stockholders of The Public Bank of New York City will be held at its banking house, No. 89 Delancey Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, New York City, at 1:15 o'clock in the afternoon, on the 14th day of January, 1913, for the purpose of voting upon a resolution to increase the capital stock of said bank from three hundred thousand ($300,000) dollars to six hundred thousand ($600,000) dollars, and in the event that said increase is authorized, to permit each stockholder of record of said bank on a date to be fixed in said resolution, to subscribe for additional shares of stock of said bank to the amount of his stock holdings on the date to be fixed in said resolution at one hundred ($100) dollars per share, and to further provide that in the event that any stockholder does not subscribe and pay for on or before February 15, 1913, his proportionate number of shares of said increase at par, that the Board of Directors be authorized to sell at par, on or before March 15th, 1913, to any other person or persons (whether or not said person is at that time a stockholder of said bank) the shares of stock not subscribed for by stockholders entitled to subscribe.

By order of the Board of Directors,
JOSEPH S. MARCUS, President.
C. LIONEL MARCUS, Cashier.

THE APEX COLLAR & SHIRT COMPANY, INC.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of The Apex Collar & Shirt Company, Inc., will be held at twelve o'clock noon on the 18th day of January, 1913, at the principal office of the Company, No. 49 Wall Street, in The City of New York, and that the object of said meeting is to consider the approval of an agreement of consolidation entered into and made between the said The Apex Collar & Shirt Company, Inc., and Cluett, Peabody & Co., pursuant to resolutions of their respective Boards of Directors and, if approved, to take such action in the premises as may be necessary.

Dated, New York, December 24th, 1912.
FREDERICK WM. KOBBÉ, Secretary.

CENTRAL TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Central Trust Company of New York for the election of six Trustees of said Company of the Class of 1916, and three Inspectors of the next succeeding election, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before said meeting, will be held at the office of the Company, 54 Wall Street, in the City of New York, on Thursday, January 9th, 1913, at 12 o'clock noon. Polls will be open from 12 o'clock noon to 1 o'clock P. M.

M. FERGUSON, Secretary.
December 27th, 1912.

THE MUTUAL BANK.
New York, December 19th, 1912.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this bank for the election of Directors, and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting, will be held in the banking house, 49-51 West 33d Street, on Tuesday, the 14th day of January, 1913, between the hours of 3 and 4 P. M.

At this meeting it is proposed to consider and act upon a resolution increasing the number of Directors of the bank from fourteen to fifteen.

HUGH N. KIRKLAND, Cashier.

The Public Bank of New York City.
New York, December 28th, 1912.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Public Bank of New York City for the election of Directors, and for the purpose of voting upon the proposition to increase the number of Directors from five to nine, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting, will be held at its banking house, 89 Delancey Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Tuesday, January 14th, 1913, at 12 o'clock noon to 1 P. M.

C. LIONEL MARCUS, Cashier.

IRVING NATIONAL BANK, NEW YORK
New York, December 3, 1912.

The annual meeting of the Shareholders of this Bank for the election of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may be brought before it will be held in the Banking Rooms, No. 92 West Broadway, Tuesday, January 14, 1913, at 12 o'clock noon, the polls to be open from 12 o'clock noon to 1 o'clock P. M.

The transfer books will be closed from 12 o'clock noon, January 11, 1913, until 10 o'clock A. M. January 15, 1913.

HARRY E. WARD, Cashier.

BROADWAY TRUST COMPANY.
New York, December 24, 1912.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of Broadway Trust Company for the election of Directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting, will be held at the Company's office, No. 754 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Wednesday, January 8, 1913, at twelve o'clock noon. Polls will remain open from 12 o'clock noon to 1 o'clock P. M.

JOHN W. H. BERGEN, Secretary.

HUSTON & SPRAKER CO.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of Huston & Spraker Co. for the election of Directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting, will be held at the office of the company, No. 27 East 45th St., New York City, on Wednesday, January 8, 1913, at 2 o'clock P. M.

EDWARD A. WILSON, Secretary.

UNITED STATES TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK.

45 Wall Street, December 23, 1912.

AN ELECTION for Trustees to supply the places of those whose terms of office expire, and for Inspectors of the next election ensuing thereafter, will be held at the office of the Company on the seventh day of January next (the first Tuesday) between the hours of 12 M. and 1 P. M.

WILFRED J. WORCESTER, Secretary.

NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE IN NEW YORK
New York, December 12, 1912.

The annual meeting of the Shareholders of the National Bank of Commerce in New York for the election of Directors will be held at its Banking House, 31 Nassau Street, New York City, on Tuesday, January 14, 1913, at 12 o'clock noon. The polls will be open from 12 o'clock to 1 P. M.

STEVENSON E. WARD, Cashier.

MOULTON KELLOGG COMPANY.
New York, December 21st, 1912.

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of "Moulton Kellogg Company" for the election of Directors for the ensuing year and transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting will be held at the offices of the Company, No. 55 Liberty Street, in the City of New York on Monday, the 6th day of January, 1913, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

F. H. KORNMAIER, Secretary.

New York, December 7th, 1912.

The annual election of Directors of the MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK of the City of New York will be held at its banking house, No. 42 Wall Street, New York, on Tuesday, January 14th, 1913, from 12 noon to 1 o'clock P. M.

By order of the Board of Directors.
JOSEPH BYRNE, Cashier.

THE HANOVER NATIONAL BANK of the City of New York.
New York, December 14, 1912.

The Annual Election for Directors of this Bank will be held at the banking house, Nassau and Pine Streets, Tuesday, January 14th, 1913, between the hours of 12 o'clock M. and 1 o'clock P. M.

ELMER E. WHITTAKER, Cashier.

The German Exchange Bank
December 13, 1912.

The annual Election for Directors of this bank will be held at the Banking House, No. 330 Bowery, Borough of Manhattan, on Tuesday, the 14th day of January, 1913, between the hours of noon and one P. M.

GEORGE KERN, Cashier.

The MECHANICS & METALS NATIONAL BANK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.
33 Wall Street, December 13, 1912.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of this bank for the election of Directors will be held at the Banking Rooms on Tuesday, January 14, 1913, between the hours of 12 o'clock and 1 o'clock P. M.

JOSEPH S. HOUSE, Cashier.

ATLANTIC MUTUAL INSURANCE CO.,
Atlantic Building,
NOS. 49 AND 51 WALL STREET.
New York, Dec. 23, 1912.

The Transfer Books of this Company will be closed from January 1st, 1913, to February 4th, 1913 inclusive.

G. STANTON FLOYD-JONES, Secretary.

THE ANNUAL STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING of the Panama Leather Co. will be held at 38 Rapelyea St., Brooklyn, on Thursday, January 2d, 1913, at 2 P. M. Directors will be elected and all necessary and proper business will be transacted.

V. J. MILLER, President.

AT A MEETING OF THE TRUSTEES OF the New York Life Insurance and Trust Company, held on Tuesday, December 3rd, 1912 Eugene Delano, Alfred E. Marling, and Moses Taylor were unanimously nominated to fill vacancies in the board.

New York, December 11th, 1912.
Z. W. VAN ZELM, Secretary.

East River National Bank.
New York, December 14, 1912.

An election for Directors of this bank will be held at the banking house, No. 680 Broadway, New York, on Tuesday, January 14, 1913.

Polls open from 2 to 3 o'clock P. M.

GEO. E. HOYER, Cashier.

AN ELECTION OF TWENTY MANAGERS of the New York Institute for the Education of the Blind and of three Inspectors of Election will be held at the Institute, 34th St. and 9th Av., at 4 o'clock in the afternoon of Thursday, Jan. 2, 1913. LINZEE BLAGDEN, Sec'y.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE annual meeting of the stockholders of the UNITED THEATRE TICKET COMPANY will be held at its office, 1,465 Broadway, N. Y., on the 13th day of January, 1913, at noon.

S. MAYER, Secretary.

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FINANCIAL MARKETS

Stocks Dull and a Little Lower—Money Tightens at Year End.

The money markets here and abroad, rather than the stock market, supplied the incidents of interest in affairs financial yesterday. It is, perhaps, enough to say of the stock market that it was only a little less dull than on Thursday and that a small fraction, which was a decline, represented the extent of the general movement of prices. The developments in money included a renewal of call loans at 12 per cent., and a subsequent decline to 1½ per cent., while the foreign exchange market reflected in a striking manner the tightness of money with which the European financial year is closing.

The fact that call money loaned in the afternoon at an abnormally low rate after 12 per cent. had been paid by the majority of borrowers in the morning, was made the basis of criticism of the banks which an impartial survey of the situation would hardly seem to justify. It has been clear that there is no superabundance of money and the chief explanation of the sudden drop in rates yesterday, after high rates had prevailed during the morning seemed to be that borrowers had been sufficiently impressed with the closeness of money to provide early for their requirements. This left practically no demand for the small balance of money which came into the market later in the day and that was loaned at the best rates which could be had. It was seemingly a case of a small amount of money being forced on the market after practically all the needs of the day had been filled. It would not be prudent to infer from the 1½ per cent. rate quoted yesterday afternoon that the market has seen the end, or, necessarily, the worst of the expected year-end stringency. The banks will indeed be fortunate if they can meet all the requirements of the next few days and still escape dropping below their 25 per cent. reserve as they did at the close of November.

The reluctance or inability of the foreign markets to participate in any transaction involving further advances of money for the few remaining days of the year was shown by the wide difference between sight and cable exchange on London, Paris, and Berlin. The spread between these two classes of exchange represented a money rate of 16 per cent. in the case of the Berlin market, of about 12 per cent. in the case of Paris, and at the close of the day of 8 per cent. in the case of London. At one time during the day the divergence between demand and cable sterling represented the equivalent of a 10 per cent. money rate. Sterling exchange in Paris dropped very sharply, indicating a drawing home of French funds before the close of the year. Some gold was taken in London for shipment to France. One of the most interesting questions which presents itself to the consideration of bankers is whether or not the European markets will return early in the year to a condition of normal ease. So far as can be foreseen the chances are that a relatively firm money situation will prevail abroad for some time to come. There will doubtless be a number of post-bellum loans to arrange in behalf of the belligerents of Southeastern Europe and the demands for new capital in many other directions will be large. The French market will very soon be called upon to take up, among other issues, a $100,000,000 flotation by the Crédit Foncier. In our own market many maturing obligations will have to be cared for, and some heavy expenditures by corporations, particularly by the railroads, remain to be financed. There can hardly be any doubt that there will be some easing of money soon after the beginning of the year, but, apparently, only a sharp contraction in trade here and elsewhere in the world, which is not now indicated, and which certainly is not to be desired, could bring the money market to a condition of pronounced ease.

MONEY AND EXCHANGE.

Money on call loaned on Stock Exchange collateral at 1½@12 per cent., with the last loan at 1½ per cent. Most of the day's loans were made at 12 per cent.

Time money rates were at 6 per cent. for sixty days, 5¾@6 per cent. for ninety days, 5½@5¾ per cent. for four months, and 5¼@5½ per cent. for five and six months.

Commercial paper was quoted at 5½@6 per cent. for best names.

Clearing House exchanges, $321,530,458; balances, $15,491,040; Sub-Treasury debit balance, $1,026,123.

The local banks lost $2,743,000 on their Sub-Treasury operations this week.

FOREIGN RATES.

Discount rates abroad yesterday were: London, 4 15-16 per cent. for short bills and 4 13-16@4⅞ per cent. for three months' bills; Paris, 4 per cent., and Berlin, 5¾@6 per cent. Money was 3½@4 per cent. in London and 6 per cent. in Berlin.

The Paris check rate on London was 25 francs 14 centimes, and the Berlin check rate on London was 20 marks 41 pfennigs.

Foreign exchange rates at the points noted were quoted as follows at the close of business yesterday:

CABLE AND SIGHT RATES.

London—Cable, $4.8610; demand, $4.8485.
Paris—Cable, 5.16⅞; check, 5.18¾.
Berlin—Cable, 95 3-16 plus 1-32; check, 94 13-16.
Switzerland—Cable, 5.20 less 1-16; check, 5.21¼.
Holland—Cable, 40.22; check, 40.18.
Belgium—Cable, 5.21¼ plus 1-16; check, 5.21⅞ less 1-32.

SIXTY AND NINETY DAY BILLS.

London—Bankers', 60 days, $4.8060; 90 days, $4.78¾.
London—Commercial, 60 days, $4.80½; 90 days, $4.78¼.
Paris—Commercial, 60 days, 5.22½ less 1-16; 90 days, 5.25 plus 1-32.
Berlin—Commercial, 60 days, 93⅞; 90 days, 93 7-16.

DOMESTIC EXCHANGE RATES.

Boston, par; Chicago, 35c premium; St. Louis, 35c premium; St. Paul, 60c premium; San Francisco, 50c premium; Montreal, 31¼c premium.

SILVER QUOTATIONS.

Bar silver was 1-16d lower in London, at 28⅞d, and ⅛c lower in New York, at 6⅞c per ounce.

THE TREASURY STATEMENT.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Treasury statement issued to-day gives receipts and expenditures for Dec. 26 and for the elapsed periods of the month and of the fiscal year as follows:

	Dec. 26.	Month.	Fiscal Year.
Customs	$855,054	$19,940,338	$161,640,477
Internal rev	559,910	23,238,426	156,676,353
Corporation tax	7,039	111,226	2,284,576
Miscellaneous	53,999	2,871,426	24,522,799
Total receipts	1,476,003	46,161,417	345,124,207
Expenditures	1,786,736	50,146,650	347,035,756
Surplus	*310,732	*3,985,232	*1,911,548

*Deficit.

These figures exclude Panama Canal and public debt transactions.

The condition of the United States Treasury at the beginning of business to-day was: Working balance, $89,349,437; in banks and Philippine Treasury, $32,747,381, and total of general fund, $142,113,229.

TOPICS IN WALL STREET.

Looking for Big Bond Year.

Several of the leading bond men do not share the apprehension of the stock brokers over the business outlook. They are predicting a big year for both railroad and industrial bonds in 1913. A banker who has brought out a number of railroad issues in recent years said yesterday that he did not look for higher prices for standard bonds this year, but he expected to see an increased demand for long term issues. An enormous quantity of short term issues will mature in the next five months, and most of these will be refunded by long term securities. A number of the railroads have been holding off comprehensive financing for several years, preferring to take care of their needs for the immediate future with short term notes in the expectation of lower interest rates. As matters have turned out, this postponement has proved very expensive, for financing that could have been arranged on a 4 per cent. basis a few years ago will now cost 4½ per cent., and securities which would have been in demand on a 4¼ per cent. basis must now return 5 per cent. or more to find a market.

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12 Per Cent. Call Money Again.

Call money was loaned yesterday morning at the high point touched the day before, most of the day's requirements being provided for at 12 per cent. Late in the afternoon, when practically all of the day's needs had been satisfied, money was offered at 1½ per cent.

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Atchison's Earnings.

The railroads would derive more pleasure out of the increase in gross revenues which recent months have brought them if they could find a way to keep from spending so much of it. Take the case of the Atchison. In November, gross revenues exceeded $10,000,000 for the third time this year. That is $880,000 above the earnings of November, 1911, but operating expenses followed closely behind revenues in their upward climb, with the result that the net increase over last year was reduced to $297,000. In the first five months of the current fiscal year the Atchison has done $5,070,000 more business than for the corresponding portion of last year, but net earnings have increased but a little more than $2,000,000. Increased allowance for maintenance of way and equipment is largely a matter of choice with the management, but the increase in wages and taxes, two very large items in the higher operating costs, are both beyond the officials' control. To get the increased business the company has had to spend millions in extensions and improvements, all of which add their share to fixed charges, so that a very small part of every dollar paid into the railroad's coffers for service ever reaches the surplus.

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A Small Road's Gains.

The recovery which a few of the smaller railroads have made this winter has been lost sight of owing to the greater prominence given results of the big systems, although in some cases the gains on the smaller roads have been proportionately far ahead of the increases shown by the Harrimans, the Atchison and others. The Minneapolis & St. Louis reports gross revenues for November of $861,000, comparing with $648,000 for that month of last year and $751,000 in 1910. Its net after taxes were $240,000, against the $101,000 earned last year. Not many companies could show a gain of 32 per cent. in gross and of 137 per cent. in net earnings. The Minneapolis & St. Louis owed much of its recent prosperity to a bumper corn crop in the Middle West.

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Bank Clearings Better Still.

The closing week of 1912 shows a remarkably well sustained improvement over the corresponding weeks of the two previous years, notwithstanding the heavy decline in activity in the speculative markets here. The total clearings at all leading cities, as compiled by Dun's Review, were $2,571,978,105, which is a gain of 11.9 per cent. over the same week last year, and of 17.8 per cent. over the 1910 figures. In both of these previous years the present week was one of activity in the speculative markets. Taking the outside cities by themselves, the gains over 1911 and 1910 were 10 and 15.1 per cent., respectively. All of the outside cities except Boston and New Orleans showed substantial expansion, and Dun's reports pronounced gains at Philadelphia, Baltimore, Pittsburgh, Cleveland, Chicago, Minneapolis, St. Louis, Kansas City, and San Francisco, "indicating that the improved conditions which prevail at the leading centre are duplicated at practically all of the important cities of the country."

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Indicated Currency Gain.

The encouragement which the estimated movements of currency gave last week is repeated in the figures compiled yesterday from such sources as are available, but it remains to be seen whether the indicated gains will fail to be established in full measure in the bank statement of to-day, as was the case last week, when the Clearing House institutions reported cash increase of only $1,152,000. An estimate based on the reported movements of currency this week puts the net gain in cash at $3,624,000. The indicated gain from the interior is $6,367,000, which is practically the same as estimated last week.

PUBLIC UTILITY SECURITIES.

	Bid.	Asked.
Am. Light & Traction com.	400	410
American Light & Traction pf.	108	110
Adirondack Electric Power com.	19	21
Adirondack Electric Power pf.	60	63
Am. Gas & Electric com.	81	85
American Gas & Electric pf.	45½	47½
American Power and Light com.	66	68
American Power & Light pf.	83	85
Am. Public Utilities com.	64	67
Am. Public Utilities pf.	78	80
Cities Service com.	110	113
Cities Service pf.	86	88
Commonwealth P. R. & L. com.	66	68
Commonwealth P. R. & L. pf.	88	90
Denver Gas & Electric Gen. 5s.	93	96
Electric Bond Deposit pf.	76	79
Empire District Electric 5s.	84	88
Empire District Electric pf.	..	83
Federal Light & Traction com.	33	37
Federal Light & Traction pf.	83½	86
Federal Utilities Incorp. com.	..	47
Federal Utilities Incorp. pf.	..	78
Gas & Electric Securities com.	130	150
Gas & Electric Securities pf.	92	96
Lincoln Gas & Electric	31	35
Northern States Power com.	22	25
Northern States Power pf.	85	87
Ozark Power & Water Co. com.	47	50
Pacific Gas & Electric com.	62	63
Pacific Gas & Electric pf.	90	92
Republic Ry. & Light Co. com.	24	27
Republic Ry. & Light Co. pf.	79	81
Standard Gas & Electric com.	20	22
Standard Gas & Electric pf.	49¾	50¾
United Light & Rys. com.	78	80
United Light & Rys. 1st pf.	83	85
United Light & Rys. 2d pf.	73½	75
Western Power com.	25	27
Western Power pf.	51	54
Utilities Improvement Co. com.	60½	62
Utilities Improvement Co. pf.	75½	77½

NEW YORK CITY BONDS.

	Yesterday. Bid.	Yesterday. Asked.	Thursday. Bid.	Thursday. Asked.
4½s, May, 1957, inter.	104⅛	104⅜	104⅛	104⅜
4½s, Nov., 1957, inter.	104⅛	104⅜	104⅛	104⅜
4½s, May, 1917, inter.	100½	101½	100½	101½
4½s, Nov., 1917, inter.	100½	102	100½	102
4½s, Mar., 1930-60, int.	100¼	100½	99⅞	100
4¼s, Mar., 1962, inter.	99¾	99⅞	99	99⅞
4¼s, Sept., 1960, inter.	99⅝	99¾	99	99¾
4s, May, 1959, inter.	95⅝	96¼	95⅝	96¼
4s, Nov., 1958, inter.	95⅝	96¼	95⅝	96¼
4s, May, 1957, inter.	95⅝	96¼	95⅝	96¼
4s, Nov., 1956, reg.	94½	95⅛	94½	95⅛
4s, Nov., 1955, reg.	94½	95⅛	94½	95⅛
4s, Nov., 1936, reg.	94½	95⅛	94½	95⅛
4s, 1918-1919, inter.	98	98½	98	98½
3½s, Nov., 1954-5, int.	84	84⅝	83⅝	84⅝
3½s, May, 1954, coup.	84	84⅝	83	83⅝
3½s, 1950-1954, reg.	83½	84⅝	83	83⅝

OUTSIDE SECURITIES

Trading Active in Spots, with Prices Moving Irregularly on the Curb.

Curb trading was active in spots yesterday, and prices moved irregularly. There was a continuance of strength in the Standard Oil issues, which have been active recently in the outside market. Standard Oil of New Jersey, the only officially listed issue, sold 500 shares between 405, the opening, and 416. The close was at 414. United Cigar Stores was active and irregular, the price moving between 108⅝ and 110½. The close was at 109¼, ⅜ below the opening. The mining list was sluggish, most of the established issues closing even with the opening levels. In the bond department Canada Southern 5s "when issued" sold $50,000 at 106⅛. Chicago Elevated 5s were strong, selling $59,000 from 97½ up to 97¾. The city 4¼s of 1960 made an advance of 3-16 from the opening, at 99, on sales of $67,000, and the 4¼s of 1962 sold $8,000 from 99 1-16 up to 99¼.

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Transactions reported were:

INDUSTRIALS.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
400	*Allied Sec. Co.	83	83	83	83
1,500	‡Brit.-Am. Tob.	24	24	23¾	24
200	Cluett P. pf.	102½	102½	102	102
100	Emerson-B. pf.	100	100	100	100
115	‡Man. S. Co. pf.	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛
1,300	Man. Transit.	1⅝	1¾	1⅝	1¾
200	M. of Am., new	6	6	6	6
300	*Mays Oil	18	18	18	18
100	Oil F. of Mex.	2	2	2	2
700	Puebla S. & R.	2⅛	2¼	2⅛	2¼
500	S. O. of N. J.	405	416	405	414
200	Tob. Prod. pf.	98½	98½	98½	98½
6,000	U. C. S. Co. Am.	110	110½	108⅝	109¼
100	Do. pf	116	116	116	116
800	Willys Overland	70½	71	70⅝	71

RAILROAD.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
150	D., L. & W. rts., w. i.	127	127	127	127

MINING STOCKS.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
200	Alaska G. M., w. i.	12⅞	12⅞	12⅝	12⅝
1,000	*Beaver Con.	43	43	43	43
1,000	*Big Four	58	58	58	58
335	Braden Cop.	10⅝	10⅝	†10¼	10⅝
100	Butte-N. Y.	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
3,500	*C. O. D. Con.	7	8	7	8
1,000	Dia. Black B.	6	6	6	6
500	El Paso Con.	6⅛	6⅛	6	6⅛
3,200	Florence	58	60	58	60
100	Giroux Mining	4 1-16	4 1-16	4 1-16	4 1-16
2,000	Goldfield Mid.	7	7	7	7
1,500	Kerr Lake	2¾	†3	2 13-16	2⅞
2,100	La Rose Con.	3 1-16	3¼	3 1-16	3 1-16
200	Light C.-G. D.	2¾	2¾	2¾	2¾
100	Mason Valley	10½	10½	10½	10½
500	McK.-Darragh	2	2	2	2
3,900	*Mut. M. & L.	57	61	56	61
425	Nevada Hills	1⅜	1 7-16	1⅜	1 7-16
4,100	N. J. Mines Co.	16	17	16	16
500	Nip. Mines Co.	9¼	9¼	9¼	9¼
4,000	Stewart	1⅞	2⅛	1⅞	2 1-16
500	Tonopah Min.	6½	6 9-16	6½	6½
1,200	Tonopah Ext.	2⅜	2 7-16	2⅜	2 7-16
12,750	Tonopah Merg.	85	86	81	86
900	Tularosa	1 1-16	1 1-16	1	1
200	Tuolumne Cop.	3¼	3¼	3¼	3¼
4,600	West End Con.	1¼	1 5-16	1¼	1 5-16
1,500	*Wett. S. M.	25	25	25	25

BONDS.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
$2,000	Braden Cop. 7s, old	205	205	205	205
50,000	Canada South. 5s, w. i.	106⅛	106⅛	106⅛	106⅛
59,000	Chicago El. 5s.	97½	97¾	97½	97¾
67,000	N. Y. City 4¼s, 1960	99	99 3-16	99	99 3-16
8,000	N. Y. City 4¼s, 1962	99 1-16	99¼	99 1-16	99¼
1,000	West. Pac. 5s.	84	84	84	84

*Sells cents per share. †Odd lots. ‡Ex div.

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Issues not traded in were quoted thus:

INDUSTRIALS.

	Dec. 27. Bid.	Dec. 27. Asked.	Dec. 26. Bid.	Dec. 26. Asked.
Am. Writing Paper	2½	3	2½	3
Bay State Gas	½	9-16	½	9-16
Borden's Cond. Milk	116	..	116	..
†Borden's C. Milk pf.	104½	106	104½	106
Brown Shoe	54	56	55	56
Brown Shoe pf	99	100	99	100½
Cluett-Peabody	67	68	67	68
Con. Rubber Tire	13	14	13	14
Con. Rubber Tire pf.	50	60	50	60
Emerson-Brantingham	65	67	65	67
Havana Tobacco	4½	5	4½	5
Havana Tobacco pf.	8	15	8	15
Houston Oil	20¾	21½	20½	21½
Houston Oil pf.	65	70	65	70
Int. Rubber tr. ctfs.	9	11	10	11
Lehigh V. C. Sales Co.	220	240	220	240
McAndrews & Forbes	190	195	190	195
Man. Shirt Co.	52	68	52	68
N. Y. Transportation	5	6	5	6
Otis Elevator	76	78	76	78
Otis Elevator pf.	99	102	99	102
Penn. Textile	24	25	24	25
Standard Oil (old)	1,125	1,200	1,125	1,200
Tobacco Products	110	140	110	140
U. S. Lt. & Heat., new	14	15	14	15
U. S. Lt. & H. pf. new	80	82	80	82
†Willys Overland pf.	99	100	99	100

MINING STOCKS.

	Dec. 27. Bid.	Dec. 27. Asked.	Dec. 26. Bid.	Dec. 26. Asked.
British-Col. Copper	4½	4⅝	4½	4¾
†Buffalo Mines	2	2¼	2	2¼
Chesterfield Copper	8	9	8	9
Cons. Arizona Smelt.	7-16	½	7-16	½
Davis-Daly Copper	1⅞	2	1⅞	2
Diamond Field Daisy	3	5	3	5
First National	1⅜	2	1⅜	2
Greene-Cananea	8⅝	9¼	8⅝	9
Mines of America	3¼	3½	3	3¼
Ohio Copper	1	1¼	1	1¼
South Live Oak	1½	2½	1½	2½
Tri-Bullion	..	½	..	⅝
Union Mines	1-16	3-16	1-16	3-16
United Copper	1	2	1	2
United Copper pf.	8	20	8	20
Yukon Gold Mines	3 1-16	3⅛	3 1-16	3⅛

BONDS.

	Dec. 27. Bid.	Dec. 27. Asked.	Dec. 26. Bid.	Dec. 26. Asked.
Braden Copper 6s	205	210	205	210
B. R. T. 5 p. c. notes	96⅛	96⅝	96⅛	96⅝
Mason Valley 6s	110	120	110	120

*Sells cents per share. †Ex. div.

STANDARD OIL QUOTATIONS.

	Friday. Bid.	Friday. Asked.	Thursday. Bid.	Thursday. Asked.
Anglo-Am. Oil	18½	19	18	19
Atlantic Refining	600	605	585	595
Borne-Scrymser	185	195	185	195
Buckeye Pipe Line	171	176	175	177
Chesebrough Mining	665	680	665	680
Colonial Oil	130	140	140	150
Continental Oil	1,450	1,500	1,435	1,475
Crescent Pipe Line	63	66	63	66
Cumberland Pipe Line	65	70	65	70
Eureka Pipe Line	388	389	380	385
Galena-Signal Oil	290	297	302	306
Galena-Signal Oil pf.	133	138	134	138
Indiana Pipe Lines	148	152	146	148
National Transit	50	51	50	51
New York Transit	340	345	340	350
Northern Pipe Line	112	117	115	120
Ohio Oil	126	128	125	127
Prairie Oil & Gas	330	335	331	334
Solar Refining	600	608	595	615
Southern Pipe Line	260	267	265	270
South Penn. Oil	875	890	805	810
S. W. Penn. P. L.	163	167	164	168
Standard Oil (Cal.)	173	176	169	170
Standard Oil (Ind.)	340	346	336	338
Standard Oil (Kan.)	450	460	440	450
Standard Oil (Ky.)	380	390	380	390
Standard Oil (Neb.)	300	310	300	310
Standard Oil (N. J.)	414	417	405	409
Standard Oil (N. Y.)	670	680	685	700
Standard Oil (Ohio)	275	285	275	285
Standard Oil Subsid., "en bloc"	725	750	715	750
Standard Oil old, "all on"	1,139	1,167	1,120	1,159
Swan & Finch	200	215	205	215
Union Tank Line	70	73	72	74
Vacuum Oil	180	184	183	186
Washington Oil	19	23	18	22
Waters-Pierce Oil	1,400	1,500	1,400	1,500

TOBACCO STOCKS.

	Dec. 27. Bid.	Dec. 27. Asked.	Dec. 26. Bid.	Dec. 26. Asked.
British-American	23⅞	24⅛	23⅞	24
Conley Foil	290	300	290	300
Johnson Tinfoil & Met.	180	200	180	200
J. S. Young	172	180	170	180
MacAndrews & Forbes	192	198	190	198
P. R.-Am. Tob. ex div.	245	255	245	255
P. R.-A. Tob. 6% scrip	120	130	120	130
R. J. Reynolds	235	245	235	245
United Cigars Stores	109¼	109⅜	109	109¼
United Cigar Stores pf.	115	117	115	117
Tobacco Products	110	140	110	140
Tobacco Prod. Co. pf.	97½	98½	98¼	98¾

METAL MARKET REPORTS.

At the Metal Exchange yesterday renewed dullness was shown. Copper was steady and unchanged. Tin was firm at an improvement of ⅛c. Other commodities were unchanged. The closing bid and asked prices follow:

	Friday. Bid.	Friday. Asked.	Thursday. Bid.	Thursday. Asked.
Standard Copper—				
Spot	17.00	17.37½	17.00	17.37½
December	17.00	17.37½	17.00	17.37½
January	17.00	17.37½	17.00	17.37½
February	17.00	17.37½	17.00	17.37½
Lead	4.20	4.30	4.20	4.30
Spelter	7.20	7.40	7.20	7.40
Tin	50.40	50.60	50.20	50.25

On the London Metal Exchange yesterday the following table of prices obtained for spot and future deliveries of copper and pig tin. These figures make comparison with the final prices of Tuesday:

	Friday. £	s.	d.	Tuesday. £	s.	d.
Copper, spot	76	2	6	75	17	6
Copper, futures	77	2	6	77		
Pig tin, spot	227	10		227		
Pig tin, futures	227	15		228		

The market finished easy. Spanish pig lead £18, down 5s.; spelter, £26 10s., unchanged. Cleveland warrants, 67s. 10½d., up 4½d.

STOCKS OUT OF TOWN.

BALTIMORE.

STOCKS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
30	Am. Bonding	76½	76½	76½
4,000	Atlantic C. L. rts.	3¼	3⅛	3¼
50	Con. Power pf	112	112	112
175	Houston Oil com. t. c.	21	20½	21
135	Houston Oil pf. t. c.	68	67⅜	67⅜
5	Maryland Casualty	102	102	102
5	Mechanics' Bank	30	30	30
25	Merchants' Bank	226½	226½	226½
155	Munsey Trust, w. i.	104½	104	104
15	Penn. Water & P.	68	68	68
115	Seaboard Air Line	18⅜	18⅜	18⅜
705	United Rys.	25½	25⅜	25½

BONDS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
$1,000	City & Sub. 5s, Wash.	103	103	103
2,000	G. B. S. Brewing 4s.	45¾	45¾	45¾
1,000	Ga. South. & Fla. 5s	105½	105½	105½
3,000	Maryland Electric 5s.	97¾	97¾	97¾
5,000	United Rys. inc	63¼	63¼	63¼
2,000	United Rys. 4s	83¾	83¾	83¾
3,000	Wash., Balt. & A. 5s	87¾	87¾	87¾

BOSTON.

MINING.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
40	Adventure	5¼	5¼	5¼
5	Ahmeek	330	330	330
300	Algomah	2½	2¼	2¼
155	Allouez	41½	39	41
30	American Zinc	29	28¾	28¾
350	Amal. Copper	76¾	76	76
250	Anaconda	39¾	39⅜	39⅜
70	Arizona Com'l	4	3¾	4
15	Boston & Corbin	5¼	5¼	5¼
1,047	Butte & Superior	43½	43	43
585	Calumet & Arizona	70½	70	70½
9	Calumet & Hecla	528	530	535
200	Centennial	18	17½	18
185	Chino	45	44	44
456	Copper Range	52	50½	51½
275	East Butte	14½	14¼	14½
30	Giroux	4	4	4
1,730	Granby	71	69	69½
296	Greene-Cananea	9 3-16	8 15-16	9⅛
240	Hancock	24¼	23½	23½
250	Hedley	26	26	26
60	Indiana	15½	15½	15½
385	Isle Royale	33	32	32½
325	Lake	24⅞	24½	24⅝
65	La Salle	5	5	5
50	Mason Valley	10½	10¼	10¼
50	Mass. Con.	5¼	5⅛	5¼
65	Mayflower	15⅛	15⅛	15⅛
105	Mohawk	61	60	60½
45	Nevada Con.	19½	19⅛	19⅛
299	Nipissing	9¼	9 1-16	9 1-16
3,620	North Butte	34¼	33	33¼
90	North Lake	3	2½	3
105	Old Colony	8½	8¼	8½
330	Old Dominion	54	53½	54
70	*Osceola	105	104	104
20	Pond Creek	26⅛	26⅛	26⅛
11	Quincy	79	78½	79
55	Ray Con.	21⅛	21	21
210	Shannon	13⅜	13¼	13⅜
285	Shattuck	28⅝	28	28⅛
215	Superior & Boston	1¼	1 1-16	1¼
550	Superior	40	38	39¾
45	Tamarack	35	35	35
100	Tuolumne	3¼	3	3¼
250	U. S. Smelters	42½	42	42½
98	U. S. Smelters pf.	49½	49⅜	49⅜
50	Utah Apex	2	2	2
1	Wolverine	69	69	69

RAILROADS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
2	Boston & Albany	213	213	213
2	Boston Elevated	115½	115½	115½
125	Mass. Electric	18	18	18
161	Mass. Elec. pf. stpd.	76¾	75½	76⅛
248	N. Y., N. H. & H.	129	128	128
2	Old Colony	174	174	174
188	West End Street	80	80	80

TELEPHONES.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
333	American	141⅝	140¾	141⅝
69	New England	156	153¼	156

MISCELLANEOUS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
78	Am. Agr. Chem. pf.	99	98¼	99
20	Am. Pneu. Service	4	4	4
125	Am. Pneu. Serv. pf.	22	22	22
70	Am. Sugar	118	117	117
5	Am. Sugar pf.	117	117	117
185	Am. Woolen pf.	80¾	80	80
2,075	East Boston Land	14½	14	14½
112	Edison	284	281	284
6	Edison full paid	275	275	275
43	General Electric	184	184	184
10	Mass. Gas pf.	95	95	95
15	Pullman	165½	165½	165½
135	Reece Folding	4	4	4
105	Swift	105⅜	105	105
53	Torrington	27½	27½	27½
189	United Fruit	183½	183	183½
50	United Shoe Mach.	49	49	49
10	United Shoe Mach. pf.	27¾	27¾	27¾
728	U. S. Steel	68¾	67⅝	67⅝
115	U. S. Steel pf.	109⅝	109⅝	109⅝

BONDS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
$2,000	Am. T. & T. con. 4s.	88¾	88¾	88¾
1,000	Un. Fruit 4½s, 1923	95¼	95¼	95¼

*Ex dividend.

BOSTON CLOSING PRICES.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Bay State G.	24	25	La Rose Con.	3	3⅛
Bohemia	2	2½	Majestic Cop.	54	55
Cactus	7	8	New Baltic	1	1¼
Calaveras	2½	2¾	Oneco		1¾
Chief Con.	1⅝	1 13-16	Ohio Cop.	1⅛	1¼
Con. Ariz.	45	50	Raven	28	30
Davis-Daly	1¾	2	R. I. Coal	6	10
First Nat'l.	1⅝	1¾	South Lake	6	6½
Goldf'd Con.	2	2⅛			

CHICAGO.

STOCKS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
650	Am. Can	30⅜	29	29⅛
100	Am. Can pf.	115½	115½	115½
115	Booth Fisheries	66¾	66½	66¾
25	Chicago Pneu. Tool	53½	53½	53½
10	Chicago Ry., Ser. 1	86½	86½	86½
1,105	Chicago Ry., Ser. 2	23¼	22	23¼
25	Chicago Ry., Ser. 4	4	4	4
30	Diamond Match	107⅝	107¼	107¼
67	Nat. Carbon	120	120	120
70	Pacific Gas	62½	62¼	62¼
807	Sears-Roebuck	214¼	212¾	212¾
170	Swift & Co.	105⅝	105⅜	105⅜
300	U. S. Steel	68¾	68	68
70	Union Carbide	201½	201	201

BONDS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
$8,000	Chicago Rys. 5s	99¼	99⅛	99⅛
1,000	City Ry. 5s	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
5,000	Chicago Telephone 5s	100¾	100¾	100¾
4,000	Peo. Gas rfg. 5s	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛

PHILADELPHIA.

STOCKS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
5	Baldwin Loco. pf.	104¼	104¼	104¼
201	Cambria Steel	50¼	50	50¼
9	Catawissa 1st pf.	55	55	55
5	Catawissa 2d pf.	54⅝	54⅝	54⅝
50	Electric Storage	53¼	53¼	53¼
2,450	General Asphalt	39⅜	38⅝	39
1,175	General Asphalt pf.	73½	72¾	73½
100	Harwood Electric	30	30	30
16	Ins. Co. of N. A.	22½	22	22
50	Keystone Tel.	11	11	11
49	Lehigh Nav. stock	92¼	92½	92½
175	Lehigh Valley	83 7-16	83 7-16	83 7-16
18	Lehigh Val. Tran. pf.	32⅝	32¾	32⅝
463	Pennsylvania R. R.	61	60 13-16	61
35	Penn. Salt Mfg. Co.	106½	106	106½
463	Phila. Electric	23⅝	23⅝	23⅝
2	Phila. Rapid T. ctfs.	27⅝	27⅝	27⅝
50	Phila. Traction	82	81½	81½
65	Reading	83⅜	83 11-16	83⅜
2,975	Tonopah Belmont	9⅛	8 5-16	9
1,695	Tonopah Mining	6 9-16	6⅛	6 9-16
13	Union Traction	51	51	51
285	United Gas Imp. Co.	90¼	90	90
1,110	U. S. Steel	68¾	67⅛	67½
10	United Co. of N. J.	235	235	235
10	York Ry. pf.	37	37	37

BONDS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
$1,000	Allegheny Val. 4s	98½	98½	98½
1,000	Elec. & Peo. 4s	84	84	84
2,000	Equitable Illum. 5s	105¾	105¾	105¾
2,000	Beth. Steel 6s	116½	116½	116½
4,000	Lehigh V. annuity 4½s	111½	111½	111½
2,000	Phila. Co. con. 5s	95½	95½	95½
6,000	Reading gen. 4s	96¾	96¾	96¾
7,000	Spanish-Am. Iron 6s	102	102	102

PITTSBURGH.

STOCKS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
50	Crucible Steel	16¾	16¾	16¾
20	Crucible Steel pf.	93½	93½	93½
95	Independent Brew. pf.	30⅝	30½	30½
568	Mfrs. L. & H.	47⅛	47	47
165	Nat. Fireproof pf.	30	30	30
30	Pitts. Plate Glass	104	104	104
70	Pure Oil	14⅞	14¾	14⅞
300	Pitts. Silver Peak	75c.	75c.	75c.
377	Un. Swith & Signal	141½	138½	141½
60	Westinghouse Elec.	40	40	40
35	West. Elec. pf.	61	61	61
122	West. Air Brake	142	141⅛	141⅛

BONDS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
$3,000	Columbia G. & E. 5s.	75	75	75
11,000	Pitts. Coal deb. 5s	90¼	90	90

SHORT TERM NOTES.

Name.	Rate.	Maturity.	Bid.	Asked.	Yield.
Amal. Copper	5	Apr., 1913	99⅞	100	5.00
Am. Loco.	5	Oct., 1913	99¾	99⅞	5.20
Am. Loco.	5	Oct., 1914	99¼	99¾	5.10
Ann Arbor	5	May, 1913	97½	98½	7.25
Austrian Gov.	4½	July, 1914-15	97⅛	97⅝	6.00
Balt. & Ohio	4½	June, 1913	99⅝	99¾	4.90
B. R. T.	5	July, 1918	96⅛	96⅝	5.80
Ches. & Ohio	4½	June, 1914	98⅝	98⅞	5.60
Chi. & Alton	5	Mar. 15, '13	97½	99	11.00
Chi. El. Rys.	5	July, 1914	97	97½	6.40
Cin., H. & D.	4	July, 1913	99	99½	5.00
Erie R. R.	6	Apr. 8, '14	100	100⅛	5.85
Erie R. R.	5	Oct., 1914	98⅞	99	5.60
Erie R. R.	5	Apr., 1915	97⅜	98	5.85
Gen. Motor	6	Oct., 1915	98¾	99	6.20
Gen. Rubber	4½	July, 1915	96⅛	96½	5.87
Hocking Val.	4½	Nov., 1913	99⅝	99¾	5.00
Hudson Cos.	6	Feb., 1913	99⅝	99¾	11.00
Ill. Cent. R.R.	4½	July, 1914	99⅛	99⅜	4.90
Int. & Gt. N.	5	Aug., 1914	97⅝	97¾	6.15
Int. Harv.	5	Feb. 15, '15	99⅝	99⅞	5.15
K. C. Ry. & L.	5	May, 1913	88	89½	26.00
K. C. Ry. & L.	6	Sep., 1912	88	91	..
Lack. Steel	5	Mar., 1915	93½	94¼	7.60
Maine Cent	4	Mar. 15, '13	99⅝	99⅞	5.00
Met. St. Ry. of Kansas City	5	May, 1913	93½	95½	11.00
Mex. M. Com.	4½	Sep., 1913	97⅛	98½	7.20
Mich. Cent	4	Mar., 1918	99⅝	99⅞	5.00
Minn. & St. L.	5	Feb., 1913	96⅞	97⅞	30.00
Mo., K. & T.	5	May, 1913	99⅛	99⅜	6.10
Mo. Pac. Ry.	5	June, 1914	96⅛	96⅝	7.50
Mont. T. & P.	6	Apr., 1915	99⅝	100⅛	5.80
N. Rys. of M.	4½	June, 1913	98	98⅞	7.60
N. Y. Central	4½	Mar., 1914	99⅝	99⅞	5.00
N. Y. Central	4½	May 1915	99	99¼	4.90
N. Y., N. H. & H.	5	Dec., 1913	99⅝	99⅞	5.40
Pac. T. & T.	5	Jan. 5, '13	99⅞	100	5.00
St. L. & S. F.	5	June, 1913	98⅞	99	6.25
St. L. & S. F.	6	Sep., 1914	98⅝	99⅛	6.33
Southern Ry.	5	Feb., 1913	99⅞	100	5.00
Sulzb. & Sons	6	June, 1916	98½	99⅛	6.15
U. S. S. R. M.	5	Aug., 1914	98	98¼	5.30
Utah Co.	6	Apr., 1917	99½	100	5.90
West. E. & M.	5	July, 1913	99⅞	100	5.00
West. E. & M.	6	Aug., 1913	100	100⅛	5.35
Western Md.	5	July 1915	97⅛	98⅛	5.62
B. & O. R.R. equip. tr., 4½%, Feb., 1917-22				4.60%	4.45%
Bos. & Albany R. R. equip. tr., 4½%, Oct., 1913-27				4.75%	4.55%
N. Y. Central lines, equip. tr., 4½%, Jan., 1919-27				4.75%	4.55%
Penn. R. R. equip tr., 4%, June, 1916-22				4.60%	4.45%

BOURSES OF EUROPE

London Market Steady—Trading Quiet on Berlin Boerse—Paris Prices Firm.

By Marconi Transatlantic Wireless Telegraph to The New York Times.

LONDON, Saturday, Dec. 28.—The Times in its City article will say to-day:

"As usual, so near the end of December, money was much wanted yesterday. Very large applications for loans for the week were made to the Bank. The market rate for weekly fixtures rose to 4¾ to 5 per cent. Discount quotations after being rather weak at first, hardened, owing to the fall of 3 centimes in Paris checks and on the figures of the Bank return, which showed declines of £2,664,000 ($13,320,000) in the reserve and £1,182,000 ($5,910,000) in private deposits.

"The outstanding features of the stock markets were the buoyancy of foreign railway stocks, especially Sao Paulo, and the further apreciable advance in Peruvian corporation stocks. Most markets were very idle, and there was only a very thin attendance of members. The general carry-over absorbed a good deal of attention. In all departments the tone was cheerful and a fairly general advance in prices was shown at the close.

"Owing to telegraphic delay, there was very little business passing between London and New York or the Continent."

LONDON, Dec. 27.—The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows these changes: Total reserve decreased £2,661,000, circulation increased £519,000, bullion decreased £2,145,330, other securities increased £2,624,000, other deposits decreased £1,182,000, public deposits increased £1,135,000, note reserve decreased £2,630,000, Government securities unchanged.

The proportion of the Bank's reserve to liability this week is 37.83 per cent.; last week it was 42.98 per cent.

BERLIN, Dec. 27.—Trading on the Boerse was quiet, with prices somewhat firmer.

The weekly statement of the Imperial Bank of Germany shows these changes: Cash in hand increased 1,288,000 marks, loans increased 23,342,000 marks, discounts increased 131,447,000 marks, Treasury bills decreased 15,744,000 marks, notes in circulation increased 102,177,000 marks, deposits increased 39,805,000 marks, gold in hand increased 4,648,000 marks.

PARIS, Dec. 27.—Prices were generally firm on the Bourse to-day.

Three per cent. rentes, 89f. 27½c. for the account.

LONDON CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

	London.	N. Y. Equiv.	N. Y. Close.	Net Ch'ge.
Consols, money	75 1-16	..	..	+1-16
Consols, account	75⅛	..	..	+1-16
Anaconda	8⅛	39⅜	39½	— ⅛
Atchison	109	105⅞	105⅝	+ ⅜
Canadian Pacific	268⅞	260¾	260	+ ⅝
St. Paul	116	112½	112½	..
Erie	33⅜	32⅜	31⅞	+ ⅜
Erie 1st pf.	50½	49	..	..
Illinois Central	131	127¼	126⅛	+ ⅜
Louis. & Nash.	145½	141	141	..
N. Y. Central	113	109⅝	108⅝ ex	— ¼
Pennsylvania	62⅝	122	121⅝	+ ⅜
Reading	86⅛	167½	167	+ ½
Southern Pacific	109	105⅞	105¼	+ ⅜
Union Pacific	165⅝	160⅝	160	+ ⅝
U. S. Steel	70¼	68⅛	67⅞	+ ⅛
U. S. Steel pf.	112⅝	109⅛	109¼	+ ¼

Exchange, 4.85.

FOREIGN PUBLIC SECURITIES.

	Bid.	Asked.
German Gov. 3½s	87⅝	88⅛
German Gov. 3s	77⅞	78¼
Prussian Consols 4s	99	100
Bavarian Gov. 4s	98¼	99⅛
Saxony Gov. 3s	77½	78⅜
Hamburg Gov. 3s	77¾	79
City of Berlin 4s	98½	99⅛
City of Cologne 4s	99	100
City of Munich 4s	97	98¼
City of Frankfurt 3½s	89¼	90⅛
City of Vienna 4s	83¾	85½
Russian Gov. 4s	89	90½
Mexican Gov. gold 5s	97	100

STOCK MARKET AVERAGES.

The average quotations of twenty-five leading railroad and twenty-five industrial issues and of these two groups of stocks combined compared as follows last week with the quotations of corresponding days of last year:

1912.

RAILROADS.

	High.	Low.	Mean.	Last.	Change.
Dec. 20	91.19	90.39	90.79	91.06	+ .84
Dec. 21	91.41	90.53	90.97	90.73	— .33
Dec. 23	90.96	90.24	90.60	90.34	— .39
Dec. 24	90.46	90.16	90.31	90.25	— .09
Dec. 25	Christmas holiday.				
Dec. 26	90.42	90.21	90.31	90.34	+ .09
Dec. 27	90.28	90.04	90.16	90.09	— .25

INDUSTRIALS.

	High.	Low.	Mean.	Last.	Change.
Dec. 20	67.03	66.39	66.71	66.92	+1.35
Dec. 21	67.58	66.75	67.09	67.16	+ .24
Dec. 23	67.06	66.53	66.79	66.61	— .55
Dec. 24	66.72	66.58	66.65	66.70	+ .09
Dec. 25	Christmas holiday.				
Dec. 26	66.61	66.41	66.51	66.60	— .10
Dec. 27	66.60	66.20	66.40	66.31	— .29

COMBINED AVERAGE.

	High.	Low.	Mean.	Last.	Change.
Dec. 20	79.11	78.39	78.75	78.99	+1.10
Dec. 21	79.49	78.64	79.03	78.94	— .05
Dec. 23	79.01	78.38	78.69	78.47	— .47
Dec. 24	78.59	78.37	78.48	78.47	
Dec. 25	Christmas holiday.				
Dec. 26	78.51	78.31	78.41	78.47	..
Dec. 27	78.44	78.12	78.28	78.20	— .27

RANGE BY MONTHS, FIFTY STOCKS.

(Opened 77.51 Jan. 2.)

	High.		Low.		Last.
January	78.63	Jan. 3	75.66	Jan. 31	75.77
February	76.61	Feb. 20	*75.24	Feb. 1	75.84
March	81.74	Mar. 27	76.14	Mar. 1	80.81
April	83.76	Apr. 26	80.92	Apr. 1	82.81
May	83.17	May 2	80.08	May 31	80.19
June	82.79	June 6	80.03	June 1	81.84
July	82.76	July 3	79.75	July 12	81.80
August	84.65	Aug. 14	82.72	Aug. 1	83.40
September	*85.83	Sep. 30	82.10	Sep. 13	85.19
October	85.76	Oct. 4	81.47	Oct. 30	82.30
November	84.12	Nov. 7	81.10	Nov. 12	82.37
†December	82.54	Dec. 2	76.28	Dec. 16	78.48

*Highest or lowest of the year. †To latest date.

YEAR'S RANGE TO DATE.

	Open.	High.	Low.
	Jan. 2.	Oct. 4.	Dec. 16.
Railroads	91.43	97.28	88.39
	Jan. 2.	Sept. 30.	Feb. 1.
Industrial	64.00	74.50	61.74
Combined average	77.51	85.83	75.24

1911.

RAILROADS.

	High.	Low.	Mean.	Last.	Change.
Dec. 26	92.00	91.75	91.82	91.86	— .01
Dec. 27	92.11	91.57	91.84	91.67	— .19

INDUSTRIALS.

	High.	Low.	Mean.	Last.	Change.
Dec. 26	64.29	63.86	64.07	64.06	— .07
Dec. 27	64.19	63.68	63.93	63.78	— .28

COMBINED AVERAGE.

	High.	Low.	Mean.	Last.	Change.
Dec. 26	78.19	77.80	78.04	77.96	— .04
Dec. 27	78.15	77.60	77.88	77.72	— .24

LAST YEAR'S RANGE TO THIS DATE.

	Open.	High.	Low.
	Jan. 3.	June 26.	Sept. 23.
Railroads	91.79	99.61	84.40
	Jan. 3.	June 5.	Sept. 25.
Industrials	62.05	69.76	54.74
	Jan. 3.	June 26.	Sept. 25.
Combined average	77.37	84.41	69.57

MINING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO.

Alta	.03	Julia	.03
Alpha Con.	.02	Justice	.02
Andes	.03	Kentucky Con.	.02
Belcher	.20	Mexican	.97
Best & Belcher	.04	Occidental Con.	.70
Bullion	.01	Ophir	.20
Caledonia	.75	Overman	.05
Challenge Con.	.05	Potosi	.03
Chollar	.02	Sag Belcher	.05
Confidence	.30	Savage	.07
Con. Cal. & Va.	.25	Sierra Nevada	.18
Con. Imperial	.01	Union Con.	.13
Crown Point	.25	Utah Con.	.02
Gould & Curry	.01	Yellow Jacket	.20
Hale & Norcross	.08		

TONOPAH.		C. O. D.	.02
Belmont	.09	Comb. Fraction	.08
Jim Butler	.66	Diamondf'd Daisy	.63
McNamara	.18	Diamondf'd B. B.	.04
Midway	.33	Florence	.58
North Star	.24	Goldf'd C. M.	2.07½
Rescue Eula	.13	Goldfield Merger	.28
Tonopah Exten.	2.25	Great Bend	.01
Tonopah Merger	.86	Lone Star	.01
West End	1.27½	Red Hills	.01
GOLDFIELD.		Sandstorm Kend.	.01
Adams	.01	Silver Pick	.06
Atlanta	.19	Nevada Hills	1.40
Booth	.03	Manhattan Con.	.09

COLORADO.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Dr. Jackpot	6½	6¾	Jackpot	5¼	5¾
Elkton	63	63¼	McKinney	60½	63⅝
El Paso	590	598	Old Gold	3	4½
Findlay	3½	4½	Portland	95	101½
Gold Dollar	17½	17⅝	Vindicator	86½	90
Isabella	16½	17	Raven B. H.	7⅝	7¾

MEXICAN ROADS PROFITABLE.

Railways Show Small Decrease in Revenues as a Result of Revolutions.

In spite of the revolutions which have troubled Mexico, the annual report of the National Railways of that country which were made public yesterday showed a very small decrease in revenues for the fiscal year which ended June 30 last. Earnings from all sources were $61,447,000 Mexican, a loss of $487,000 from 1911. Operating expenses were reduced $844,000, and there was a substantial increase in other income, so that the net earnings were $21,888,000 Mexican, an increase of $1,072,000. The surplus after fixed charges was $2,484,000 Mexican, as against a balance of $2,557,000 earned in the previous year. The company paid a dividend of 4 per cent. on the first preferred stock.

Chairman Luis Elguero says of the troubles with the insurrectos:

"Unfortunately, as the shareholders know, a state of revolution has continued in the republic, principally in the northern part of the country and in the States of Morelos and Guerrero, which has been the cause of attacks upon and damage to transportation lines, resulting in the interruption and suspension of traffic for a greater or less time. This has proved detrimental to the company, not only through loss of traffic, but also on account of actual damage done to its lines and property."

HANDLED $21,162,491 IN ORE.

American Company Reports That Total for Colorado Plants.

DENVER, Dec. 27.—Gold, silver, lead, and copper ore valued at $21,162,491 was handled in the Colorado plants of the American Smelting and Refining Company, according to figures contained in the annual report for 1912, issued to-day. The plants are in Pueblo, Leadville, and Durango. The report also showed that ore from various States and the Dominion was handled in the Colorado plants as follows:

Colorado, $14,122,949; Idaho, $3,955,502; Utah, $1,678,766; Canada, $1,214,713, and smaller quantities from Montana, New Mexico, Arizona, South Dakota, and Wyoming.

FIX COPPER FREIGHT RATES.

Commerce Commission Decides That New York Must Pay More.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—The Inter-State Commerce Commission held to-day that the freight rates on refined copper from the upper peninsula of Michigan to Detroit were unduly discriminatory as compared with the rates from the same point of origin to New York City.

At present the rate to New York City is 3 cents a hundred pounds higher than to Detroit. The commission ordered that the differential in favor of Detroit should be at least 10 cents. All of the carriers interested were directed to readjust their rates on that basis.

Calls on Banks for Reports.

ALBANY, Dec. 27.—Supt. Van Tuyl of the State Banking Department, to-day issued a call for reports of State banks and trust companies, showing their condition on Dec. 26.

CONSOLIDATED EXCHANGE.

A heavy tone showed in the market on the Consolidated Stock Exchange in the later trading, although the softness failed to be accompanied by much expansion in the volume of dealings. The early sharp decline in American Beet Sugar helped to create adverse market opinion. Opening prices on the 9:30 o'clock call generally reflected slight fractional improvements compared with Thursday's closing quotations, but it soon became evident that the market lacked snap.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
1,730	Amal. Copper	76⅝	77⅛	76	76
1,330	Am. B. Sugar	50¼	50¼	46⅝	47⅛
710	Am. Can	30⅜	31	29¼	29⅜
700	Am. Smelting	72½	73¼	72¼	72¾
10	A., T. & S. F.	105⅝	105⅝	105⅝	105⅝
340	Brooklyn R. T.	92⅝	92⅞	92	92
50	Ches. & Ohio	79	79	79	79
10	Chino Copper	44½	44½	44½	44½
160	Erie	31⅞	32¼	31⅝	31⅝
60	Gt. North. pf.	130⅝	131	130½	130½
10	Gt. N. rights	2½	2½	2½	2½
120	Inter.-Met	19½	19½	18⅞	18⅞
410	Inter.-Met. pf.	64	64¼	63⅞	64
480	Lehigh Valley	167	167	166¼	166¼
200	Mo. Pacific	41½	41½	41	41
20	Nevada Con	19⅝	19⅝	19⅝	19⅝
20	Nor. Pacific	120⅝	120⅝	120⅝	120⅝
3,440	Reading	167⅝	167⅝	166⅞	167
20	Rep. Steel	26	26	26	26
50	Rock Island	23⅝	23⅝	23⅝	23⅝
460	Southern Pac.	105⅝	106⅛	105⅛	105⅝
10	Southern Ry	28	28	28	28
180	Third Avenue	40½	40½	39⅞	39⅞
10	Union Bag & P.	7½	7½	7½	7½
1,410	Union Pacific	160⅝	160½	159½	159⅝
540	U. S. Rubber	62⅝	62⅝	61⅝	62
3,310	U. S. Steel	68⅛	68¼	67⅝	67⅝
15,790					

MINING STOCKS.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
500	C. O. D.	.07	.07	.07	.07
100	Goldfield Con.	2.12½	2.12½	2.12½	2.12½
800	Jim Butler	.64	.66	.64	.66
600	Jumbo Ext	.29	.30	.29	.30
200	Montana	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00
400	North Star	.22	.22	.22	.22
200	Overman	.50	.50	.50	.50
275	Ton. Belmont	9.12½	9.12½	8.75	8.87½
300	Tonopah Ext	2.40	2.40	2.40	2.40
1,300	Ton. Merger	.81	.85	.81	.85
400	West End	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25
300	Yellow Jacket	.25	.25	.25	.25
5,375					

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NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE—Friday, Dec. 27, 1912.

Total sales Dec. 27, 1912.......... 126,981
From Jan. 1, 1912.......... 130,575,753
Same period last year.......... 126,352,253

Closing. Bid.	Closing. Ask.	Sales.		First.	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Change.
1¼	1⅜	100	Allis-C. tr. rcts. 2d pd..	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	+⅛
76⅛	76¼	14,500	Amalgamated Copper..	76¾	76¾	76	76⅛	−½
47¼	47½	8,100	Am. Beet Sugar......	50¼	50⅝	46¾	47½	−3¼
92	97	100	Am. Brake Shoe & F..	93¼	93¼	93¼	93¼	−4
..	..	100	Am. B. S. & F. rights..	⅝	⅝	⅝	⅝	−⅜
29½	29¾	6,200	Am. Can..........	30½	30⅞	29	29¾	−1½
114¾	115	1,100	Am. Can pf.........	115¼	115¼	115	115	−¾
55¼	55½	100	Am. Car & Foundry...	55½	55½	55½	55½	+⅜
42¼	42½	500	Am. Locomotive.......	42⅝	42⅝	42½	42½	...
58	60	200	Am. Malt. pf.........	59¾	60	59¾	60	+¼
72½	72¾	1,800	Am. Smelt. & Ref.....	72¼	73¼	72¼	72½	+¼
117	119½	100	Am. Sugar Refining...	117⅝	117⅝	117⅝	117⅝	−2
115	117	100	Am. Sugar Ref. pf.....	116	116	116	116	−1
141⅛	141¼	700	Am. Teleph. & Teleg..	140¾	141	140¾	141	+¼
102½	103	200	Am. Tobacco pf. new..	102⅞	102⅞	102⅞	102⅞	−⅛
79	81	50	Am. Woolen pf........	79½	79½	79½	79½	...
39⅜	39½	1,900	Anaconda Copper Co...	39⅝	39¾	39½	39½	...
105⅝	105¾	200	Atch., Top. & S. F....	105½	105½	105⅝	105⅝	...
102	103	100	Atch., Top. & S. F. pf..	102½	102½	102½	102½	...
131¼	131½	500	Atlantic Coast Line....	131½	131½	131½	131½	...
103¾	104¼	100	Baldwin Loco. pf......	104	104	104	104	−⅝
104⅝	104⅞	100	Baltimore & Ohio......	104¾	104¾	104¾	104¾	...
39¼	39½	1,200	Bethlehem Steel.......	38¾	39¼	38¾	39¼	+¾
68	68½	400	Bethlehem Steel pf....	68	68½	68	68½	+½
92⅛	92½	2,100	Brooklyn Rapid Tran..	92⅞	92⅞	92⅛	92¼	−¼
54	54⅜	800	California Petroleum...	54½	54⅝	54⅛	54⅛	+⅛
84½	86	100	California Pet. pf......	85	85	85	85	...
259½	260	400	Canadian Pacific......	260	260	260	260	...
..	..	200	Can. Pacific rights.....	19⅛	19⅛	19⅛	19⅛	−⅛
29	29¼	200	Central Leather Co....	29⅛	29⅛	29⅛	29⅛	−⅛
78¾	79	800	Chesapeake & Ohio....	79	79¼	79	79¼	+½
15¾	16¼	200	Chicago Gt. Western...	16	16	16	16	−¼
30½	31	10	Chi. Gt. Western pf...	31	31	31	31	...
111⅝	112	520	Chi., Mil. & St. Paul..	112	112	112	112	−½
135½	136¼	100	Chi. & Northwestern...	136½	136½	136½	136½	+¼
44¼	44½	1,635	Chino Copper..........	44¾	44¾	44⅛	44⅛	−⅜
13⅞	14¼	300	Corn Products Ref....	14⅝	14⅝	14	14	−½
75½	77	200	Corn Products Ref. pf..	75¾	75¾	75½	75½	+⅝
99⅝	99⅞	200	Deere & Co. pf........	99⅞	99⅞	99⅝	99⅝	−¼
581	581⅞	464	Del., Lack. & West....	579⅞	581⅞	579⅞	581⅞	−2⅛
21⅛	22	1,000	Distillers' Securities...	21¼	21¼	21¼	21¼	...
14	17	100	Duluth, S. S. & A. pf..	15½	15½	15½	15½	+1½
81¾	82	1,700	Erie	82	82¼	81⅞	81⅞	+⅛
49	50	600	Erie 1st pf...........	49¼	49¼	49	49	...
183⅜	183¾	500	General Electric......	183⅞	183⅞	183¾	183⅞	−⅛
32	34½	100	General Motors.......	32	32	32	32	−2
76½	77	100	General Motors pf....	77⅝	77⅝	77⅝	77⅝	−⅛
130⅛	130¼	2,550	Great Northern pf.....	130⅝	130⅝	130⅛	130⅛	−½
109	115	35	Homestake Mining.....	110	110	110	110	...
126	127	800	Illinois Central.......	127	127	127	127	+½
17¾	18	100	Inspiration Con. Cop..	18¼	18¼	18¼	18¼	+½
18⅞	19	1,500	Inter.-Met. v. tr. cfs..	19⅛	19¼	19	19	−⅛
63¾	64	1,500	Inter.-Met. pf........	64	64¼	63⅞	64	−⅝
111	111½	267	Int. Harvester.......	111	111⅝	111	111⅝	−2
12½	12⅞	100	Int. Paper..........	12⅞	12⅞	12⅞	12⅞	...
19	19⅛	100	Int. Steam Pump......	19⅛	19⅛	19⅛	19⅛	−⅜
26½	27	200	Kansas City South....	26¾	26¾	26¾	26¾	−¼
106½	109	400	Kayser (Julius) 1st pf..	108	108½	107½	108½	+1½
48	48½	200	Lackawanna Steel.....	48	48	48	48	...
102¾	103½	100	Laclede Gas.........	102⅞	102⅞	102⅞	102⅞	+¾
166½	167	2,900	Lehigh Valley x d.....	166¼	167	166¼	167	+¼
38½	39⅞	200	Loose-Wiles Biscuit...	39	39¼	39	39¼	−¼
103	104	100	L.-W. Bis. 1st pf......	103	103	103	103	−¾
90	92	100	L.-W. Bis. 2d pf......	91½	91½	91½	91½	+1⅜
73	73½	500	Mexican Petroleum....	74	74	73½	73½	−½
97	100	10	Mex. Petroleum pf.....	99⅞	99⅞	99⅞	99⅞	...
25¼	25¾	500	Miami Copper........	26	26	25½	25½	−⅛
22½	23½	150	Minn. & St. Louis.....	23	23	23	23	−¾
138	140	300	M., St. P. & S. S. M...	140	140	139	139	−1
40⅞	41⅛	3,400	Missouri Pacific......	41	41¼	40⅞	40⅞	...
82	91	100	Nat. En. & St. pf.....	90	90	90	90	−1½
27¼	27½	800	N. Rys. of M. 2d pf...	27½	27½	27½	27½	+¼
19⅛	19⅜	500	Nev. Con. Copper.....	19⅜	19⅜	19¼	19¼	−⅛
126½	128¼	300	N. Y., N. H. & H.....	128½	128½	128	128	−1
31½	32	50	N. Y., O. & W.......	31¼	31¼	31¼	31¼	...
112⅜	113	200	Norfolk & Western....	112½	112½	112½	112½	−½
83	88½	100	Norf. & West. pf.....	88⅛	88⅛	88⅛	88⅛	−2⅞
120¼	120½	400	Northern Pacific......	120¼	120½	120¼	120½	+¼
121⅝	121⅞	650	Pennsylvania R. R....	121⅞	122	121⅝	121⅝	...
103	105⅝	500	P., C., C. & St. L.....	104	105½	104	105½	+2
23¾	24⅛	200	Pittsburgh Coal......	24¼	24¼	24¼	24¼	...
91½	91¾	1,500	Pittsburgh Coal pf....	92	92½	91⅜	91⅜	+¼
117½	118	100	P. S. Cor., N. J., ex d..	117¾	117¾	117¾	117¾	−1
33	35	200	Railway Steel Spring..	34	34	33⅛	33⅛	−2⅛
21	21¼	1,200	Ray Con. Copper.....	21⅛	21⅛	21	21	−⅛
167	167¼	9,200	Reading	167⅜	167⅝	167	167	...
92¼	93	100	Reading 2d pf.......	92½	92½	92½	92½	...
26	26½	100	Republic Iron & Steel..	26	26	26	26	...
23½	24	100	Rock Island Co......	23⅝	23⅝	23⅝	23⅝	...
60	61	100	St. L. & S. F. 1st pf..	60¼	60¼	60¼	60¼	+¼
28	28¾	800	St. L. & S. F. 2d pf...	29¼	29¼	28¾	28¾	−½
45¼	45¾	200	Seaboard Air Line pf..	45¾	45¾	45½	45½	...
212½	213¼	450	Sears, Roebuck & Co..	214	214	213½	213½	...
105	105¼	2,400	Southern Pacific.....	105½	106	105	105⅛	−⅛
27⅞	28	600	South. Ry. extended..	28	28	28	28	...
80¼	80½	200	So. Ry. pf. extended..	80	80	80	80	...
65	66	300	Standard Milling pf...	65⅝	66	65⅝	66	...
35	37	200	Studebaker Co.......	35¾	36	35¾	36	...
109¾	110	150	Texas Co...........	109⅞	109⅞	109⅞	109⅞	+⅛
39½	40	1,100	Third Avenue........	40½	40¾	39⅞	39⅞	−⅞
11	12	100	T., St. L. & Western..	12	12	12	12	+1½
97	98	300	Underwood Typewrit..	97¼	97¼	97	97¼	−½
7	7½	300	Union Bag & P. Co...	7½	7⅝	7⅜	7⅜	+⅜
159⅝	159⅞	6,800	Union Pacific........	159⅞	160½	159½	159½	−½
93	105	100	U. S. Ind. Alcohol pf..	96½	96½	96½	96½	−1⅝
61⅝	62⅛	2,590	U. S. Rubber........	62¾	62⅞	61⅝	62	−1
79	81	300	U. S. Rubber 2d pf...	79	79	79	79	−¾
67½	67⅝	26,700	U. S. Steel.........	68⅛	68¼	67⅜	67⅝	−¼
109¼	109½	400	U. S. Steel pf.......	109⅝	109⅝	109½	109½	+¼
58¼	58½	600	Utah Copper........	58¼	58⅝	58¼	58⅜	+⅛
46⅛	47¼	300	Western Maryland....	47⅛	47⅛	46⅛	46⅛	−1⅝
79	80	100	Westinghouse E. & M..	79¾	79¾	79¾	79¾	+¼
109	110	200	Woolw. (F. W.) Co..	109	109	109	109	...

BONDS ON STOCK EXCHANGE.

Total sales Dec. 27, 1912.......... $1,461,500
From Jan. 1, 1912.......... 669,200,000
Same period last year.......... 887,061,100

U S 2s, coupon
10,000..........101⅜
10,000..........101½
2s, reg
30,000 c..........101¼
4s, coupon
10,000..........113⅝
Jap Gov 4½s, sterl loan, 2d Ser
500.......... 89½
N Y City 4s, 1956, registered
5,000.......... 95
4s, 1959
1,000.......... 95⅞
N Y City 4¼s
12,000..........100¼
4½s, 1917
4,000..........101
new
1,000..........101
Allis-Chalm 5s, Tr Co ctfs of dep
3,000.......... 57⅝
2,000.......... 57⅛
Am Spirits M 6s
1,000.......... 99½
Am T & T conv 4s
5,000..........109½
col 4s
5,000.......... 88⅞
4,000s20f.......... 88¾
Armour & Co 4½s
1,000.......... 91¼
1,000.......... 91⅜
A, T & S F gen 4s
2,000.......... 96⅝
adj 4s, stpd
1,000.......... 87½
Atl Coast Line 4s
1,000.......... 94⅝
6,000.......... 94⅞
13,000.......... 95
B & O pr lien 3½s
11,000.......... 91¾
gold 4s
5,000.......... 97¼
P, L E & W V 4s
1,000.......... 88½
Beth Steel 5s
1,000.......... 95¼
1st & ref mtg 5s
1,000.......... 85½
B R T ref conv 4s
22,000.......... 92½
10,000.......... 92¼
10,000.......... 92
Bklyn Un Gas 5s
1,000..........106
9,000..........106⅛
Buf & S 1st ref 4s
1,000.......... 40
Cal Gas & Elec 5s
2,000.......... 94⅝
Canada So 2d 5s
4,000..........100⅛
Cent Branch Ry 4s
3,000.......... 92⅛
Cent Pac gtd 4s
1,000.......... 95
Ches & O conv 4½s
10,000.......... 92¼
Chi & Alton 3s
2,000.......... 67
C, B & Q gen 4s
2,000.......... 95
joint 4s
12,000.......... 95⅝
6,000.......... 95¼
Ill Div 4s
3,000.......... 98¼

Chi Gt Westn 4s
1,000.......... 76⅝
Chi, Mil & St P conv 4½s
15,000..........105¼
25,000..........105⅛
Chi & N W gen 4s
1,000.......... 97¾
1,000.......... 97⅝
1,000.......... 97¾
10,000.......... 97½
gen 3½s
5,000.......... 84
Mil, Spart & N Wn 1st 4s
25,000.......... 93½
C, R I & P gen 4s
1,000.......... 92¾
Chi, Rock Isl & P Ry ref 4s
5,000.......... 86⅝
C, R I & P R R 4s
5,000.......... 65½
5,000.......... 65¼
C, S P, M & O 3½s
2,000.......... 89¼
Clev, C, C & St L, St L Div 4s
6,000.......... 92
Col Industrial 5s
1,000.......... 82¾
Col & 9th Av 1st 5s
9,000..........101½
Del & Hud conv 4s
3,000.......... 97¼
Des Moines & Ft D 1st gtd 4s
1,000.......... 79¾
Det Un Ry con 4½s
1,000.......... 78½
Erie 1st gen 4s
3,000.......... 74¾
1st con 4s
7,000.......... 86½
conv 4s, Ser A
1,000.......... 83¼
Series B
15,000.......... 76
Gen Elec deb 5s, temp rcts, full paid
1,000..........108½
3,000..........108⅝
Green Bay & Wn deb Ctfs B
1,000.......... 14⅞
1,000.......... 15
Gulf & Ship I 5s
5,000.......... 93
Ill Cent ref 4s
7,000.......... 95½
Ill Steel 4½s
2,000.......... 88⅞
Indiana Steel 5s
15,000..........100¾
2,000..........100⅞
Inter-Met 4½s
5,000.......... 80½
10,000.......... 80⅝
49,000.......... 80¾
21,000.......... 80⅞
19,000.......... 80¾
Interbor R T 5s
18,000..........103¼
Internatl Nav 5s
2,000.......... 79½
Lack Steel 5s, 1950
20,000.......... 78½
Lake S & Mich So 4s, 1931
1,000.......... 92¾
5,000.......... 92½

Ligg & Myers 7s, temp bonds
2,000..........119½
Ligg & Myers 5s
7,000.......... 96⅜
Lou & N unifd 4s
8,000.......... 97⅝
Mo, K & O 1st 5s
1,000..........104½
Mo, K & T 2d 4s
3,000.......... 79¼
Mo Pac conv 5s
1,000.......... 87
Mo Pacific 4s
2,000.......... 70½
Nassau Elec R R 4s
1,000.......... 79
Natl Tube 5s
2,000.......... 98⅝
N Y Central deb 4s, 1934
2,000.......... 91
N Y G, El L, H & Pow col tr 5s
4,000..........101⅜
N Y, N H & H conv deb 6s
5,000..........125
3,000..........125⅛
9,000..........125
N Y & Queens El Lgt & Pow 5s
1,000.......... 99½
N Y Rwys ref 4s
21,000.......... 77⅛
13,000.......... 77
adj 5s
48,000.......... 56½
10,000.......... 56⅝
90,000.......... 56¾
25,000.......... 56⅞
39,000.......... 56¾
52,000.......... 56⅞
23,000.......... 57
29,000.......... 56⅞
7,000.......... 56¾
N Y Teleph 4½s
1,000.......... 97
Nor & Wn conv 4s
25,000..........111¾
divisional 4s
8,000.......... 92½
5,000.......... 92¾
Pocah C & C 4s
3,000.......... 92
Northn Pac 4s
1,000.......... 98
Northn Pac 3s
1,000.......... 68¼
Ore R & N con 4s
3,000.......... 93¼
Ore Short L gtd ref 4s
8,000.......... 92
Pac Tel & Tel 5s
2,000.......... 99⅛
Penn conv 3½s
8,000.......... 96⅝
Penn 4s, 1948
1,000..........101½
4,000..........101
Phila Co conv 5s, 1922
5,000.......... 97¾
Pub Serv Corp s f 5s
2,000.......... 92⅛
Reading gen 4s
8,000.......... 96⅞
3,000.......... 97
Rio Gr Wn 1st 4s
1,000.......... 83¼

St L & San Fran R R gen 5s
25,000.......... 82
2,000.......... 81¾
1,000.......... 82
ref 4s
4,000.......... 74¼
St L S W con 4s
9,000.......... 80
2,000.......... 80¼
5,000.......... 80⅜
2d income 4s
4,000.......... 81½
So Pac conv 4s
8,000.......... 92¼
10,000.......... 92⅜
5,000.......... 92¼
2,000.......... 92⅛
So Pac 1st ref 4s
10,000.......... 93⅛
2,000.......... 93¼
San Fr Terml 4s
1,000.......... 87⅝
1,000.......... 87⅞
Southn Ry 1st 5s
4,000..........106
gen 4s
5,000.......... 77⅞
2,000.......... 78
10,000.......... 77¾
5,000.......... 77⅞
Texas Co conv 6s
2,000.......... 99
Third Av ref 4s
4,000.......... 81⅝
1,000.......... 81½
adj 5s
30,000.......... 75¼
85,000.......... 75½
10,000.......... 75⅜
Tol, St L & Wn 4s
5,000.......... 55
1,000.......... 53¾
prior lien 3½s
5,000.......... 84
Undergr Elec Rys of Lond inc 6s
13,000.......... 90
Union Pac 1st 4s
1,000.......... 98⅝
conv 4s
10,000.......... 96⅛
1st & ref 4s
10,000.......... 95⅛
United Railrds of San Fran 4s
17,000.......... 67
U S Rubber 6s
1,000..........102¾
U S Steel Corp s f 5s
9,000..........100⅞
2,000..........100¾
7,000..........100⅞
5,000..........100¾
8,000..........100⅞
13,000..........101
Va-Car Ch 1st 5s
6,000.......... 97⅞
Wabash 1st 5s
11,000..........105¼
3,000..........105
Wn Maryland 4s
1,000.......... 83⅞
4,000.......... 83¾
1,000.......... 83⅞
Westingh El & M 1st conv s f 5s
1,000.......... 93

BID AND ASKED QUOTATIONS.

Closing quotations for Government bonds:

	Bid.	Asked.
2s, r, 1930..	101¼	101⅜
2s, c, 1930..	101	101½
3s, r, 1918..	102½	103¼
3s, c, 1918..	102¾	103¼
4s, r, 1925..	113⅝	114⅛
4s, c, 1925..	113⅝	114⅛
Pan 2s, r, 1936	100⅞	101¼
Pan 2s, r, 1938	100⅞	..
Pan 3s, r, 1961	101⅜	102¼
Pan 3s, c, 1961	101⅜	102¼
D C 3-65s..	..	106½

Closing quotations for stocks in which there were no transactions:

	Bid.	Asked.
Adams Exp.	145	155
Allis-Chalm.	..	¼
Do pf.....	2	..
Do 2d pd.	3	5½
Am Ag Ch.	54½	55
Do pf.....	98½	100
A B S pf..	85	90
A B S & F pf.	132½	135½
Am Cities..	47⅞	50
Do pf.....	..	78¾
Am C & F pf.	115¼	119½
Am Coal...	70	95
Am Cot O..	55½	57
Do pf.....	96	97
Am C Prod		95
Do pf.....	109	115
Am Exp...	160	172
Am H & L.	5	5⅝
Do pf....	23	27
Am Ice Sec.	19¼	19½
Am Linseed	11¼	11⅝
Do pf....	31	32½
Am Loc pf.	105	106¾
Am Malt...	11	12½
Am S pf, B	83½	85½
Am S & R pf.	105	105½
Am Snuff..	185	192
Do pf, n.	101⅛	105
Am St Fds.	35	36½
Am T & C.	..	70
Am Tob....	275	279
A W W pf.	97½	98½
Am Woolen	19½	22
A W P pf.	31	31½
Ann Arbor.	15	30
Do pf.....	50	80
Assets Real, ex div....	121¼	125⅞
Assoc Oil..	..	44½
Bald Loc...	51	51⅜
B & O pf..	86½	87
Batopilas M	1¼	1⅝
B Un Gas..	138	142
Bruns Ter..	8	8½
B, R & P...	114	119½
Do pf.....	125	140
But'k Co....	28½	29½
Canada So, ex div.....	..	69
Case (J. I.) pf.	98¼	100
Cent L pf..	92½	94½
C R R of N J......	360	370
C & S A T..	109	115
Chi & Alt...	12½	18
Do pf.....	25	40
Chi, I & L pf.	50	80
C, M & St pf	139	140
Chi & N W pf.	180	190
Chi, St P, M & Om.	125	132
Do pf.....	150	160
Cin, S & C pf.	139	..
C, C, C & St L.....	46	52
Do pf, ex div. ..	..	93
Col F & I.	33½	34
C F & I pf.	..	155
Col & So...	31	33
Do 1st pf..	69	72
Do 2d pf.	63	70
Cons Gas...	140½	141
Crex Carpet	76	88
Cub-Am S pf.	..	94½
Del & Hud..	163	165½
D & R G..	19¾	21¼
Do pf.....	38½	39½
D M & Ft D.	4	10
Det, H & S W.	93½	99
Det & M...	105	..
Do pf.....	100	..
Det Un R..	73½	75½
D, S S & A.	7	8½
Du P de N Pow pf....	..	99¼
Erie 2d pf.	38⅞	40
F M & S..	12	18
Do pf.....	40	42½
Gen Chem..	180	200
Do pf.....	108	110
G & S T...	115	..
G'drich, B. F.	64	64¾
Do pf.....	103	105
Goldf'd Con.	2	2⅛
Granby Con.	65	..
Gt Nor Ore ctfs.	40½	42
G.W.Helme..	175	188
Do pf.....	105	117
Gugg Expl.	51	52
Hav Elec...	86½	90
Do pf.....	..	99
Hock Val...	..	150
Inger-Rand.	105	..
Do pf.....	92	..
Int Agric...	30	40
Do pf.....	91	92
Int H pf...	113⅝	115
Int Pa pf..	47	49
Int S P pf.	70	72
Iowa Cent..	10	13
Do pf.....	28	28
Jol & Chi..	161	..
Kayser (J.)	85	91
K C, Ft S & M pf.....	72	78
K C So pf.	60¼	62½
K & D M..	6	8
Do pf.....	48	60
Kresge (SS)	78	79½
Do pf.....	99	101½
Kn I, C, pf.	72	75
L E & W..	11	14
Do pf.....	34	36
Lig & M...	208	214
Do pf.....	110	115
Long Island	44	48
Louis & N.	140	141½
Mackay Cos.	80	84
Do pf.....	66	68
Man Elev...	128	130
May Dep St	76¼	76½
Do pf.....	103	105½
Mer Marine.	4½	5
Do pf.....	18¼	19¼
Mich Cent, ex div....	..	190
M & St L pf.	45½	48
M, St P & S S M pf.	145	152
Do 1 l....	83½	85
Mo, K & T.	26⅝	27
Do pf.....	61	63
M & B pf.	60	80
Mor & Es..	165	175
N, C & St L........	170	180
Nat Bis, ex div.	123¼	127½
Do pf.....	121	126½
Nat Enam..	17	18½
Nat Lead..	55½	56½
Do pf.....	105	108½
Nat Rys of M 1st pf.	63	66
N O, M & C pf.....	10	25
N Y Air B.	74	77½
N Y Cent..	107¾	107⅞
N Y, C & St L......	54	60
Do 1st pf.	99	..
Do 2d pf..	..	90
N Y D pf...	32	42
N Y, L & W.........	118	125
N Y S Rys.	87½	89⅝
N O T & L.	75	76
Norf South.	43	47½
North Am..	79	80
Ont Mining	2½	3
Pabst B pf.	105¼	109
Pac Coast...	79	90
Do 1st pf..	85	100
Do 2d pf.	85	100
Pac Mail...	31	32
Pac T & T.	46½	47¼
Do pf.....	97½	101½
Peo G. C...	114	115
Peo & E...	12	17
P. Lorillard ..		203
Do pf.....	114	116
Pett-M	28¼	29
Do 1st pf.	98	99¾
Phelps-D'ge.	210	..
Phila Co...	99½	102
P, C, C & St L pf..	105	117½
Pitts St pf.	99	100
P, Y & A pf.	161	..
Pr St Car..	35	36
Do pf.....	99½	100½
Pullman Co.	164½	166
Quicksilver..	4	4⅜
Do pf.....	4½	7½
R R Sec, I C stk ctfs	80	89
Ry St S pf.	98¼	101
Rdg 1st pf.	89	90⅜
Rep I & S pf.	85	86½
Rock I pf..	43⅛	47
R G M Co pf.	100	110
R'ly Co....	91	92
Do pf.....	99½	100½
St L & S F	18½	20
St L & S F, C & E I new ctfs..	45	47
Do pf ctfs.	100	104
St L S W.	35½	36½
Do pf.....	74	76
Sears-R pf. ..		124½
Seab A L..	18½	19
S-S S & I..	40	46½
Do pf.....	93¼	98
So P R S..	70	78
Do pf.....	..	110
So Ry, M & Ohio ctfs.	78	81
Stand Mill..	34⅝	35¼
Studeb pf..	90	94
Tenn Cop..	38	39
Texas Pac..	22½	23
T P L Tr..	93	96½
T, P & W.	15¼	..
Tol R & L.	2½	6
Tol, St L & West. pf..	27	29
T C R T..	103	105
Do pf.....	138¾	145
Und T pf...	110	113
Un B & P pf.	39	41
Un Pac pf.	91½	92
Un Cig M..	50	52½
Do pf.....	104	109
Un Dry G..	99½	100
Do pf.....	102	105
Un Rys Inv	36¼	37
Do pf.....	63¼	64
U S C I P.	17	19
Do pf.....	57½	60
U S Exp...	66	70
U S Ind A..	43	48
U S R & I.	73½	75
U S R R.	1	2
Do pf.....	3	5
U S R 1st pf.	106	107
Va-Car Ch Co.	48	43¼
Do pf.....	114	117
Va I, C & Coke	57	61
Va R & P.	..	51
Do pf.....	89	..
Vulcan Det.	..	24½
Do pf.....	85¼	..
Wabash	4	4½
Do pf.....	13⅛	14¼
W F Exp...	125	130
Weym-Bru..	240	300
Do pf.....	110	118
West Md pf.	67	69
West U T..	75	75½
Westingh'se Air Brake.	283	290
Westingh'se El 1st pf.	119½	121¼
Wh & L E.	8	8¾
Do 1st pf.	26	29
Do 2d pf..	13	15
Wis Cent...	48	52½
W'w'th pf.	113½	114¾

RAILROAD EARNINGS.

	1912.	Increase.
CHESAPEAKE & OHIO—		
3d week December	$726,917	$41,502
July 1-Dec. 21	17,017,657	762,127
CHICAGO GREAT WESTERN—		
3d week December	323,755	48,728
July 1-Dec. 21	6,926,266	388,685
COLORADO & SOUTHERN—		
3d week December	299,509	9,612
July 1-Dec. 21	7,518,806	155,809
INTEROCEANIC RAILWAY OF MEXICO (Mexican currency)—		
3d week December	150,704	*38,044
July 1-Dec. 21	4,059,945	111,785
MINNEAPOLIS & ST. PAUL—		
3d week December	214,537	48,429
July 1-Dec. 21	4,914,522	987,816
NATIONAL RAILWAYS OF MEXICO (Mexican currency)—		
3d week December	1,288,040	125,040
July 1-Dec. 21	30,739,397	218,032

*Decrease.

CHICAGO GREAT WESTERN for November—

	1912.	1911.	1910.
Av. mile	1,496	1,496	1,489
Gross	$1,176,762	1,079,290	1,108,819
Net	332,313	262,483	284,594
Other income ..	5,999	10,564	9,493
Total income ...	338,312	273,047	294,087
Surp. after chgs.	110,645	51,306	73,281
5 mos. gross	6,088,473	5,693,117	5,545,416
5 mos. net	1,829,282	1,633,582	1,573,400
Other income ..	41,535	57,539	46,501
Total income ...	1,870,817	1,691,121	1,619,901
Surp. after chgs.	749,603	561,477	577,569

COLORADO & SOUTHERN LINES for November—

	1912.	1911.	1910.
Gross	1,514,629	1,338,153	1,569,474
Net after tax...	550,712	465,218	586,938
Other income ...	44,124	22,380	†11,847
Total income ..	594,836	487,598	575,091
Surp. after chgs.	356,672	260,213	345,868
5 mos. gross ...	6,611,067	6,463,089	7,565,908
Net after tax...	2,092,072	2,183,261	2,547,804
Other income ..	241,430	177,300	19,818
Total income ..	2,333,503	2,360,561	2,567,621
Surp. after chgs.	1,140,589	1,190,049	1,415,722

†Debit.

Miscellaneous Earnings.

AMERICAN EXPRESS COMPANY reports to the Inter-State Commerce Commission for August—

	1912.	1911.	Increase.
Total op. rcpts.	$3,952,707	$3,393,232	$559,475
Expr. priv-deb..	1,902,160	1,591,154	311,006
Total op. revs..	2,050,547	1,802,[illegible]	248,469
Total op. exp..	1,890,584	1,631,006	259,577
Net oper. revs..	159,962	171,070	*11,108
Taxes	31,032	30,000	1,032
Oper income ..	128,930	141,070	*12,140
July 1 to August 31—			
Total op. rcpts..	7,816,507	6,679,679	1,136,828
Expr. priv-deb..	3,720,045	3,129,505	590,539
Total op. revs..	4,096,462	3,550,173	546,288
Total op. exp..	3,765,255	3,266,046	499,209
Net oper. revs..	331,207	284,127	47,079
Taxes	62,102	60,000	2,102
Oper. income ..	269,104	224,127	44,976
Mileage—			
Steam roads	57,336	54,325	3,011
Other lines	3,467	2,560	906

NORTHERN EXPRESS COMPANY reports to the Inter-State Commerce Commission for September—

	1912.	1911.	Increase.
Total op. rcpts..	299,433	277,016	22,423
Expr. priv-deb..	160,234	149,406	10,828
Total op. revs..	139,198	127,603	11,595
Total op. exp...	97,316	91,409	5,900
Net oper. revs...	41,888	36,193	5,694
Taxes	4,500	4,500	......
Oper. income ..	37,388	31,693	5,694
July 1 to Sept. 30—			
Total op. rcpts..	947,986	837,278	110,707
Expr. priv-deb..	505,966	449,535	56,430
Total op. revs..	442,019	387,742	54,277
Total op. exp...	289,683	272,795	16,887
Net oper. revs...	152,336	114,946	37,389
Taxes	13,500	13,500	......
Oper. income ...	138,836	101,446	37,389
Mlge., stm. rds.	7,456	7,310	146
Mlge., oth. lines.	276	315	*38

*Decrease.

COMMODITIES MARKETS.

All Staples Weak and Lower—Cotton Breaking Under Big Offerings.

Wheat was lower on liquidation. Argentine crop estimates were bearish. Cables were firm, however. Corn declined on heavy receipts and favorable weather. Oats were easier with other grain. Provisions were not supported. Cottonseed oil reacts in sympathy with lard. Cotton showed irregularity early but then broke on heavier offerings. The foreign market was steady. Spots were not offered freely. Coffee weakened on foreign news.

WHEAT.

The strength shown by the market on Thursday was not maintained yesterday, with a sagging of values following steadiness at the outset. Cables were rather better than expected on advices of stormy weather in the Argentine, but subsequently the news bearing on the crop of South America was used against values. The outturn in Argentina was officially estimated at 198,000,000 bushels, providing for an exportable surplus of 134,000,000 bushels, against a crop last year of 171,000,000 bushels and exports for the season just ended of 101,000,000 bushels.

There were again numerous dry weather reports received from the Winter wheat belt, particularly from parts of Kansas, Missouri, and Nebraska, but less attention was given to these advices than in the preceding session. The map showed some precipitation in the Ohio Valley, although the indications for moisture west of the river were not bright. However, temperatures are not alarmingly low. The Modern Miller report stated that there was extensive precipitation recently in parts of Texas and Oklahoma, and over the northern part of the belt, but that there were large areas which were dry where the plant looks poorly.

Fresh speculative demand was lacking. This was reflected in the failure of bullish news to exert any material influence. The trade was informed of higher cables sent from abroad for our wheat, with fair sales of Canadian grades claimed, but export business was not of sufficient proportions to check the profit taking for the account of recent speculative buyers. There is still hedge pressure from the large Spring wheat crop, even though a marked divergence of opinion prevails as to the amount yet to be marketed. The receipts at interior points thus far this week are 700,000 bushels under last week, but nearly 4,500,000 bushels in excess of last year, with shipments 400,000 bushels less than a week ago, and approximately 2,500,000 bushels over those of 1911.

Bradstreet's exports for the week amounted to 4,051,000 bushels, against 2,856,000 bushels last year, totaling 122,000,000 bushels since July 1, against 85,000,000 bushels a year ago. Adding the shipments this week to private estimates, world's wheat exports promise about 8,152,000 bushels, compared with over 10,000,000 bushels last week and last year.

Cash No. 2 red wheat quoted at $1.08, free on board, afloat for export; No. 2 hard, 99½c; No. 1 Northern Spring, 97½c; No. 1 Northern Manitoba, 99½c.

WHEAT—FUTURE MARKET.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
New York Wheat —					
December...	..	..	95⅝	95⅝	96⅝
May.........	97⅞	97⅝	97⅝	97⅞	$1.02⅞
Chicago Wheat—					
December...	86⅝	85⅞	86	86¼	94⅛
May.........	92⅛	91¼	91⅜	91⅞	98⅜
July	89⅛	88⅝	88⅝	89	84½
Minneapolis Wheat—					
May.........	86½	85⅞	85¾	86¼	1.06⅛
July.........	88	87⅞	87⅞	87⅞	1.06⅞
Winnipeg Wheat—					
December...	82⅛	81½	81⅝	82⅛	93⅛
May.........	86½	85⅝	85⅝	86¼	98⅛
July.........	87¾	87	87	87⅛	

CORN.

The market dragged during the day and it appeared as though the principal buying power was furnished by shorts. Favorable weather conditions as a whole, and the movement limited only by available cars, were depressing factors. Temperatures are not low enough to induce heavy feeding as yet. Receipts for five days this week have averaged about 1,200,000 bushels daily, against 1,000,000 bushels last week and only 800,000 bushels per day a year ago. Shipments are not heavy, so that the visible supply will probably show a good increase this week.

Cash export corn, January to March shipment, was quoted at 54½c.

CHICAGO—FUTURE MARKET.

Corn—	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
December...	47⅝	47¼	47¼	45⅝	64¼
May.........	48½	48⅛	48⅛	48½	63⅜
July.........	49⅝	49	49	49⅜	63⅝

OATS.

Governed by the downward tendency of other grain, oats presented a heavy undertone. There was pressure from the country. The Argentine crop was estimated at 58,000,000 bushels more than last year, when the outturn was a large one. Receipts at interior points totaled 4,229,000 bushels for five days this week, compared with 1,848,000 a year ago. Shipments were 800,000 bushels more than last year at 2,432,000 bushels.

Cash standards were quoted at 40c; No. 3 white, 39 to 39½c.

CHICAGO—FUTURE MARKET.

Oats—	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
December..	32⅝	32¼	32⅜	32⅞	46⅝
May	32⅞	32⅝	32⅝	32⅞	47½
July	33⅛	33	33	33⅛	43½

PROVISIONS.

Weakness was in evidence during the entire session. Hog markets were steady, but larger receipts were looked for. Big interests were among the sellers.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
Lard—					
Dec	10.15	9.90	9.90	10.20	9.10
Jan	9.92½	9.75	9.75	9.92½	9.12
May	9.97½	9.85	9.85	10.00	9.37
July	..	..	..	..	9.50
Sept	..	..	..	..	9.62
Ribs—					
Jan	9.72½	9.57½	9.60	9.75	8.30
May	9.80	9.65	9.67½	9.82½	8.57
July	..	..	..	..	8.62
Pork—					
Jan	17.95	17.62½	17.62½	17.97½	15.45
May	18.30	18.00	18.00	18.30	15.92

COTTON.

Irregular price changes were shown during the early part of yesterday's cotton market, but as the session progressed liquidation and bear pressure caused substantial declines to be displayed at the finals. In common, expectations were for an improved undertone, as the cables from Liverpool were higher than due, and the majority of advices from the South suggested that the principal holders of actual cotton were not offering freely, notwithstanding a diminution in the demand.

On the opening call the near months were a few points higher, but distant deliveries showed declines of from 3 to 6 points. More or less support from trade houses imparted a steady undertone to the list, while there was also a scattered demand for foreign account and for the South. Absorption was not continued, however, and it was noticeable that considerable of the pressure which the market had to contend with late in the day emanated from Southern centres, leading to some claims that bearish ginning figures were pending, and that after the first of the year there would be an increase in the number of reports of a slackening in the demand.

However, the Census Bureau's figures on ginning will not be issued until Jan. 9, and the period does not end until the 31st inst. As far as the probable assimilation of cotton by spinners is concerned, it is conceded in most quarters that takings will be on a reduced scale following the heavy absorption to date, but it is not certain that the contraction will be great enough to materially disturb the confidence of the large spot interests and their following, who are believed to represent the most important longs. It is noteworthy, however, that there seems to be more conservatism in domestic trade circles, with occasional pessimistic advices from abroad as a result of the Balkan affairs.

The first notice day for the delivery of January contracts occurred on Monday, but inasmuch as the speculative long account has been fairly well eliminated no violent fluctuations are to be looked for. In fact, tenders will probably be light, as the unsold stock at New York is of small volume, and it is not profitable to purchase cotton at the South for the purpose of delivery in this market on the prevailing differences.

Week-end figures were construed as moderately bullish, but did not have much effect. There were spinners' takings of 351,000 bales, against 418,000 last week and 342,000 a year ago, with a visible increase of 84,000 bales, against a gain of 162,000 in 1911. The indicated visible of American cotton is now 5,200,000 bales, or 950,000 bales over that of a year ago. The intosight for the week amounted to 435,000 bales, and since Sept. 1 shows a total of 9,407,000 bales, compared with 9,778,000 last season.

COTTON PRICES.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
December	12.80	12.60	12.60@12.61	12.73
January	12.78	12.61	12.61@12.62	12.75
February	....	....	12.52@12.54	12.68
March	12.75	12.59	12.58@12.59	12.74
April	12.72	12.72	12.56@....	12.73
May	12.74	12.55	12.56@12.57	12.74
June	....	....	12.50@....	12.67
July	12.68	12.48	12.50@12.51	12.67
August	12.55	12.38	12.38@12.40	12.58
September	....	....	11.86@11.90	11.96
October	11.84	11.72	11.73@11.74	11.83

COTTONSEED OIL.

Demand was lacking and consequently heavy undertone was witnessed. There was selling of oil, because of the decline in lard, while the break in the cotton market also seemed to induce scattered liquidation. No essential change has taken place in the supply and demand situation, and it is not believed that there will be important developments until after the first of the year. To-day is the first tender day for January contracts, but it is not thought that many notices will be issued. The absence of support in the future market tends to keep sentiment rather bearish, although there are intimations of consumers showing more interest on declines.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
Spot	..	..	6.15	6.20
December	..	..	6.16	6.30
January	6.17	6.17	6.16	6.22
February	..	..	6.17	6.23
March	6.26	6.21	6.21	6.26
April	..	..	6.25	6.26
May	6.32	6.32	6.30	6.35
June	..	..	6.33	6.36
July	6.38	6.38	6.35	6.40

COFFEE.

Coffee started 5@13 points lower, and continued to sag until during the afternoon it was 15@22 points net lower. Just at the close the market rallied a point or two, but showed a net loss of 12@19 points. Total sales, 112,250 bags. Havre prices were ¾f lower. The movement at Rio and Santos totaled 1,115,000 bags, compared with 882,000 last year. Cost and freight market prices came to 5@10 points below Tuesday's figures. Spot coffee, Rio, 7, at 14⅛c.

Contract prices follow:

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
December	..	..	13.25@13.28	13.40
January	13.28	13.25	13.25@13.28	13.44
February	..	..	13.35@13.38	13.50
March	13.67	13.57	13.60@13.61	13.25
April	..	..	13.73@13.74	13.85
May	13.91	13.82	13.85@13.86	14.01
June	..	..	13.90@13.92	14.06
July	14.00	13.96	13.96@13.98	14.11
August	..	..	14.04@14.06	14.18
September	14.15	14.07	14.12@14.13	14.25
October	..	..	14.12@14.13	14.25
November	14.07	14.07	14.12@14.13	14.25
December	14.10	14.09	..@..	..

COUNTRY PRODUCE MARKETS.

BUTTER.—Creamery, extras, pound, 37@37½c; firsts, 32@35c; seconds, 29@31c; thirds, 27@28c; held, extras, 33@34c; firsts, 30@32c; seconds, 28@29c; thirds, 26@27c; State dairy, tubs, finest, 32@34c; good to prime, 28@31c; common to fair, 23@27c; process, extras, 26½@27½c; firsts, 25½@26c; seconds, 23@24c; imitation creamery, firsts, 24½@25c; factory, held, 23½@24½c; current make, firsts, 23@24c; seconds, 22@22½c; thirds, 19@21c; packing stock, held, 21@22c; current make, No. 2, 21c; No. 3, 18@20c.

CHEESE.—State, whole milk, held, colored, specials, 18c; white, 18c; colored, average fancy, 17¼@17¾c; white, 17½@17¾c; lower grades, 16½@17¼c; fresh, colored, specials, (not green,) 17@17¼c; white, (not green,) 17@17¼c; colored average run, 16½@16¾c; white, 16½@16¾c; very green and pasty, 16@16¼c; poor, 14½@15½c; Daisies, held, best, 18@18¼c; State, skims, held, specials, 14@14¼c; choice, 13@13½c; fresh, specials, 13½c; choice, 12@13c; poor to fair, 8@11c; full skims, 3@6c.

EGGS.—Fresh gathered, extras, dozen, 31@32c; extra firsts, 29@30c; firsts, 27@28c; seconds and lower grades, 22@26c; held fresh, average best, 21@23c; poor to fair, 16@20c; fresh gathered, dirties, 16@18c; checks, 14@16c; refrigerator firsts, special marks, fancy, local storage, charges paid, 19@20c; firsts, on dock, 19@19½c; seconds, 18@18½c; thirds, 14@17½c; State, Pennsylvania, and nearby, hennery whites, good to large size, new laid, 42@45c; selected whites, defective in size or quality, 35@40c; Western, gathered whites, 28@36c; State, Pennsylvania, and nearby, hennery browns, 32c; gathered brown and mixed colors, 27@30c.

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

The following are current wholesale market prices for beef cuts in New York City: Ribs, No. 1, 16½c; No. 2, 13½c; No. 3, 10½c; loins, No. 1, 16½c; No. 2, 13½c; No. 3, 10½c; rounds, No. 1, 11½c; No. 2, 10½c; No. 3, 9c; chucks, No. 1, 11c; No. 2, 10c; No. 3, 8½c.

SUGAR.—The refined sugar market was fairly active and steady yesterday, with fine granulated still at $4.90. The following quotations are net, less 2 per cent. discount for cash: Crystal dominoes, in cases of two-pound cartons, $7.90@$8; in cases of five-pound cartons, $7.40@$7.50; Eagle tablets, $6.20; cutloaf, $5.70; crushed, $5.60; Mold A, $5.25; cubes, Eagle, five-pound bags, powdered, and Eagle, confectioners' granulated, $5.15; XXXX powdered, $5.05; powdered, coarse powdered, and Eagle, coarse granulated, $5; fruit, powdered, and Eagle, extra fine, granulated, $4.90; Eagle, two, three and one-half, and five pound cartons of fine granulated, $5.10; three-and-one-half-pound bags, $5.15; five-pound bags, $5.10; ten-pound bags, $5.05; twenty-five and fifty pound bags and standard granulated, $4.90; fine granulated and Diamond A, $4.90; confectioners' A, $4.75; No. 1, $4.65; Nos. 2 to 12, $4.60@$4.10, in five-cent ranges, Nos. 13, 14, and 15, $4.05.

The London beet sugar market was quiet and unchanged, for December and January, which were quoted at 9s 6d, while May stood at 9s 10½d. The local raw sugar market was steady and unchanged, with centrifugal at $3.92; muscovado, 89-test, at $3.42, and molasses, 89-test, at $3.17.

MOLASSES AND SYRUPS.—The molasses market was steady, under a moderate jobbing demand, at recent prices. Syrups were dull.

Quotations: New Orleans, centrifugal, common, 15@16c; fair, 17@20c; good, 21@26c; prime, 28@34c; New Orleans, open kettle, 35@55c; syrups, common, 11@12c; medium, 14@17c; fancy, 25@28c.

RICE.—The rice market was steady and unchanged yesterday. There was a moderate demand, with orders mostly for small lots to cover needed supplies of the moment.

Quotations: Screenings, 4@4¼c; ordinary, 4¼@4¾c; fair, 4½@5c; good ordinary, 5@5¼c; prime, 5¼@5½c; choice, 5½@5¾c; head, Japan, 4½@5c; Patna, 6⅜@7c.

FLOUR AND MEAL.—The flour market was inactive yesterday, and nominally unchanged, although the undertone was steady.

The following are prices quoted (in wood) on the New York Produce Exchange: Spring patents, $4.50@$4.80; Winter straights, $4.55@$4.65; Winter patents, $4.75@$5.10; Spring clears, $4.30@$4.55; extra No. 1 Winter, $4.15@$4.25; extra No. 2 Winter, $4.05@$4.20; Kansas straights, $4.15@$4.25; fancy Spring patents, $5.40@$5.90. RYE FLOUR—Quoted: Fair to good, $3.60@$3.85; choice to fancy, $3.90@$4. CORNMEAL—Quoted: Kiln-dried, $3.25. BAGMEAL—Quoted: Fine white and yellow, $1.30@$1.35; coarse, $1.25@$1.30. FEED—Quoted: Western Spring, $24; standard middling, $24; flour, middling, $27; Red Dog, $27.10; city bran, $23 bulk, $24.35 sacks; middlings, $23.75@$30; Red Dog, $30.50; hominy, chop, $23@$24 bulk; $24.20@$25.20 sacks; oilmeal, $33@$34.50. BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—Quoted: $2.50 per 100 pounds.

HAY.—Market quiet. Quotations: Standards, $1.05; prime nominal, No. 1, $1.07½@$1.10; No. 2, $1@$1.02½; No. 3, 80@85c.

OILS.—Linseed oil was unchanged. Refined petroleum was steady, at recent prices.

Quotations: Standard white petroleum, barrels, New York and Philadelphia, $8.50, bulk $4.80; standard white, cases, New York, $10.55; water white, barrels, New York and Philadelphia, $9.50, bulk $5.80; water white, cases, New York and Philadelphia, $11.55; linseed, American seed, city raw, 46@47c; out of town raw, 45@46c; Calcutta raw, 70c.

NAVAL STORES.—The market for spirits turpentine was easy and somewhat lower. Resin was weak and lower. Tar was steady and unchanged.

Quotations: Spirits turpentine, machine, barrels, 41c. Tar, $6@$6.50. Resin, common to good, strained, $5.75; B and D, $6.10; E, $6.20; F, $6.25; G, $6.30; H, $6.40; I, $6.50; K, $7.10; M, $7.75; N, $8.35; W G, $8.90, and W W, 9.25.

FINANCIAL NOTES.

Albert James Sheldon will be admitted to partnership in Lee, Higginson & Co. Jan. 1.

Charles V. Austin, associated for several years with Farson, Son & Co., will be associated with Posner & Co. on Jan. 1. Mr. Austin has purchased a seat on the Produce Exchange and will be largely interested in cottonseed oil.

R. J. F. Allen, chief clerk of the Guaranty Trust Company, has been elected assistant trust officer. He has been connected with that company since October, 1911. John J. Lewis, who has been acting chief clerk for the past several months, succeeds Mr. Allen as chief clerk.

Linnzee Blagden of McGraw, Blagden & Draper; W. Frazer Gibson of Foster & Lounsbery, Edward E. B. Adams of E. F. Hutton & Co., and Edward Burger of W. H. Burger & Co have been elected to membership in the Curb Market Association.

For the second time the annual meeting of the United States Motor Company has adjourned for lack of a quorum. About 80,000 shares are necessary, and there were present in person or by proxy only some 69,000. Another attempt to hold a meeting will take place Jan 15 at 2 o'clock, a week after the sale of the organization is scheduled to take place.

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WRITE FOR CIRCULAR.
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$309,000
The Wabash Railroad Co
4½% Equipment Bonds
SERIES C
Due Jan. 1, 1913.

The above bonds will be paid on presentation at our office, 44 State St., Boston, Jan. 1, 1913, on which date interest will cease.

LEE, HIGGINSON & CO.
Dec. 27, 1912.

$2,472,000
The Wabash Railroad Co
4½% Equipment Bonds
SERIES C
Due Jan. 1, 1913, to July 1, 1916.

Coupons due Jan. 1, 1913, attaching to the above bonds, will be paid on presentation at our office, 44 State St., Boston, Jan. 1, 1913.

LEE, HIGGINSON & CO.
Dec. 27, 1912.

To the Holders
—of the—
Fifty-Year 4% Collateral Trust Gold Bonds
—of the—
International Traction Company

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the semi-annual interest on the aforesaid bonds, which matured on the first day of January, 1912, and on the first day of July, 1912, will be paid to the holders thereof upon presentation of the coupons representing the same, at the office of Messrs. J. P. Morgan & Co., No. 23 Wall Street, New York, on or after the thirtieth day of December, 1912, together with 5% interest from the first day of January, 1912, on interest due on said date, and from the said first day of July, 1912, on interest due on said date, to the thirtieth day of December, 1912.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the semi-annual interest on the aforesaid bonds maturing on the first day of January, 1913, will be paid to the holders thereof upon presentation of the coupons representing the same, at the aforesaid office of Messrs. J. P. Morgan & Co. on or after the second day of January, 1913.

Dated December 28, 1912.
INTERNATIONAL TRACTION COMPANY,
By WILLIS C. DUNBAR, Secretary.

FOSTER-SCOTT ICE COMPANY,
332 W. 11th Street,
New York City.

Notice is hereby given that twenty-two (22) First Mortgage Bonds of this Company of $1,000 each, numbered as below, have been drawn for redemption for the Sinking Fund, as provided in the Deed of Trust to the UNION TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK, Trustee, dated November 1st, 1911, and will be paid on presentation at the Office of said Trust Company, No. 80 Broadway, on and after January 2, 1913, viz: Nos. 29, 52, 69, 101, 126, 131, 141, 180, 189, 207, 237, 288, 289, 252, 257, 294, 298, 342, 360, 365, 431, 442.

FOSTER-SCOTT ICE COMPANY,
RICHARD J. FOSTER, President.

Executor Trustee
Chartered 1822
The Farmers' Loan and Trust Company,
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SAVINGS BANKS. SAVINGS BANKS.

The Williamsburgh Savings Bank
Broadway and Driggs Ave., Brooklyn.
Notice is hereby given that on and after the Twentieth day of January, 1913, a Semi-Annual Interest at the rate of
FOUR PER CENT.
per annum will be paid to all depositors in this bank who on the First day of January, 1913, may be entitled thereto.
Money deposited on or before January 10th, 1913, will draw interest from January 1st.
ACCOUNTS CAN BY OPENED BY MAIL.
Send for Booklet and full instructions.
E. B. TUTTLE, President. WILLIAM F. BURNS, Cashier.
Bank Open Monday Evenings from 4 to 7.

Dime Savings Bank of Brooklyn
Junction De Kalb Av. and Fulton St., Brooklyn, N. Y.
An interest dividend at the rate of 3½ PER CENT. per annum for the six months ending December 31, 1912, on all sums entitled thereto from $5 to $3,000, will be credited December 31, 1912, and will be entered on the pass-books and paid January 20, 1913, or at any time thereafter.
Deposits made on or before January 10, 1913, will draw interest from January 1, 1913.
J. L. MARCELLUS, President.
RUSSELL S. WALKER, Treasurer.

NORTH RIVER SAVINGS BANK
31 W. 34th St., bet. 5th and 6th Aves.
94TH SEMI-ANNUAL DIVIDEND
A dividend of THREE AND ONE-HALF PER CENT. per annum has been declared and will be credited depositors on Jan. 1, 1913, on sums of $5 to $3000.
Money deposited on or before Jan. 10, will draw interest from Jan. 1.
Bank open 10 a. m. to 3 p. m.
Mondays 10 a. m. to 7 p. m.
Saturdays 10 a. m. to 12 m.
Adolpho H. Fischer, President
George T. Connett, Secy. and Treas.
Herman F. Dietmann, Asst. Treas.

Dollar Savings Bank
2808 Third Avenue.
Interest credited January 1st, at the rate of Three and One-Half Per Cent. per annum, on accounts from $5 to $3,000.
Deposits made on or before January 10th draw interest from January 1st.
GEORGE E. EDWARDS, President.
WM. M. KERN, Treasurer.

American Savings Bank
115 WEST 42D ST.
(Bet. Broadway & Sixth Ave.)
Hours 9 to 4; also Mondays 6 to 8 P. M.
Dividend at rate of 3½% per annum.
Deposits on or before Jan. 10th, 1913, draw interest from January 1, 1913.
JOHN V. IRWIN, Pres. DAVID ORR, Sec'y.
WM. M. HAZELTON, Treas.

NOTICE OF CALL OF BONDS.

WHEREAS, those Santa Fe County bonds which were issued under date of September 29, 1891, numbered 1 to 262, both numbers inclusive, for the sum of $1,000 each, and those certain other bonds of said county issued under date of March 1, 1892, numbered from 326 to 520, both numbers inclusive, were for the sum of $1,000 each, and those numbered 500, 501 and 502 were for the sum of $100 each, and those numbered from 503 to 507, both inclusive, were for the sum of $1,000 each, and those numbered from 508 to 520, both inclusive, were for the sum of $100 each, are subject to payment at the option of the board of county commissioners of said county, and constitute a portion of the indebtedness of said county which has been assumed by the State of New Mexico, being the bonds of said county which were validated, approved and confirmed by act of Congress of January 16, 1897;

NOW, THEREFORE, the board of loan commissioners of the State of New Mexico, pursuant to the authority contained in Section 20 of Chapter 16 of the session laws of 1912, hereby gives notice of its intention to redeem said bonds on the 31st day of December, A. D. 1912, and that thereafter all interest on such bonds shall cease.

W. G. SARGENT,
Secretary of the Board of Loan Commissioners of the State of New Mexico.
December 16, 1912.

DISSOLUTION NOTICES.

HUGH McATAMNEY & CO.

The partnership between HUGH McATAMNEY and CHARLES J. JOHNSON, doing business under the firm name and style of HUGH McATAMNEY & CO., has been dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. Charles J. Johnson having transferred his interest in such firm, and the new firm of HUGH McATAMNEY & CO. has assumed the payment of all obligations of the firm. The new firm of HUGH McATAMNEY & CO. will continue the business as heretofore. Mr. Johnson will engage in the same business on his own account.

HUGH McATAMNEY.
CHARLES J. JOHNSON.
Dated New York, Dec. 27th, 1912.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership lately subsisting between WILLIAM C. HYNARD and GEORGE F. MEEHAN under the firm name and style of HYNARD & MEEHAN, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

George F. Meehan is hereby appointed liquidating partner, and is hereby authorized to settle all debts due to and by said firm.

Dated, New York, December 24th, 1912.
GEORGE F. MEEHAN,
WILLIAM C. HYNARD.

THE COPARTNERSHIP EXISTING BEtween FRIEDMAN & LEVY has this day been dissolved by my withdrawal from the said firm. FRIEDMAN & LEVY, By BARNETT FRIEDMAN. Dated Dec. 16, 1912.

Financial History and Prospect
The New York Times
Annual Financial Review
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Seventeenth Year.
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To be sure of a copy, order early.

PLAN TO AMEND CALLAN AUTO LAW

Lazansky and Special Sessions Justices Seek a Way to Jail Offenders.

The Justices of Special Sessions received from Secretary of State Lazansky yesterday a letter requesting that they send him the record of the trials of James Warley and Walter Woodward, the two chauffeurs recently convicted of reckless driving and then let go in accordance with Supreme Court Justice Page's decision that imprisonment for such offenses was impossible under the Callan law. The ostensible purpose of Mr. Lazansky's call for information was to take steps to revoke the chauffeurs' licenses of these men, but it was learned from Albany that he would ask the Legislature to broaden the provisions of the Callan law so as to cover adequately the matter of penalties.

His letter was received while the Justices were holding a conference to adopt measures to amend the Callan law. The meeting was called by Chief Justice Russell, who said that the law was absolutely worthless, as any chauffeur could go free, provided he asserted that he did not have enough money to pay his $25 fine.

Later in the day Assistant District Attorney James E. Smith, who prosecuted the cases of Woodward and Warley, held a long consultation with Justice Collins. At its conclusion Mr. Smith visited Acting District Attorney Wasservogel, who said that a draft of the proposed amendment would be made to-day, and that this would be sent to the Legislature at once.

According to Mr. Smith, the amendment will consist of an increase in the fine for speeding, will limit the rate of speed to fifteen miles an hour, and will also make the punishment for reckless driving one year in the penitentiary and a fine of $500.

Warley was again driving a taxi yesterday. He had learned his lesson, however, he told a friend, having lost eleven pounds in jail.

"It is ridiculous," said Justice Steinert yesterday, "that a man should be able to drive a car in the streets of Manhattan Borough, at least, while intoxicated, and escape with a fine of $25. The other boroughs are, in a sense, outlying, and, save in the built-up sections of Brooklyn and the Bronx, the congested conditions of this borough do not prevail. But in Manhattan it is outrageous that there is no way to properly punish offenders. Justice Salmon is drafting a law which will make driving an automobile while intoxicated a felony, even on the first offense. The punishment for committing this act should not be less than five years."

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What will supply a westernmost link in one of the A. A. A. transcontinental routes is about to be constructed in Oregon, along the south bank of the Columbia River. Under any plan of Federal aid for highways, it is held in the West that the route through Montana and Idaho and thence to the coast by way of central Oregon would eventually be included. Portland is emphasizing the value of the Dalles route in this connection. It is nearly 100 miles from Portland to the Dalles, but it is understood that work on the new road will be begun at once and that it is hoped to complete it in less than a twelvemonth. Portland is confident that much of the transcontinental travel would take this route, especially if the stretch of road on the Seattle route which crosses the Snoqualmie Pass is not promptly improved. Road Commissioner Roberts of Washington has recently made a tour of inspection in the neighborhood of this pass, and as a result the Legislature of that State will be asked to appropriate $500,000 to improve the Snoqualmie. The pass is said by the Commissioner to be the only feasible one over the Cascades in Washington. It is 3,000 feet in elevation, while Stevens Pass is 4,061 and Natches Pass 4,823 feet.

CROCKERY MARKET DULL.

Potteries, However, Report Heavy Orders Despite Price Advances.

The usual year-end dullness prevailed generally in the local crockery and glassware market this week. The trade was mostly preparing for the inventory season, which will open within a few days.

Western jobbers have apparently not been as numerous in this market as usual in the last few weeks, but have done some excellent buying by mail and wire. An early influx after the turn of the year is looked for as a result.

According to The Crockery and Glass Journal's reports the domestic potteries are booking unusually heavy orders, despite the recent advance and the midwinter shutdown in most cases will be as brief as possible. Many of the glass factories are winding up the year with a number of 1912 orders still unfilled, due to the holding off on the part of buyers earlier in the season. Advances are being made on these wares, but it is believed that business will not be affected adversely by them.

DROPS ENGLISH CHARTER.

J. & P. Coats Concern Forms a $3,000,000 Corporation in Rhode Island.

Special to The New York Times.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Dec. 27.—J. & P. Coats, Incorporated, of Pawtucket, the biggest thread manufacturing concern in the country, obtained from the Secretary of State to-day a Rhode Island charter. Three thousand persons are employed at the big plant in Pawtucket. The concern had been doing business in this State up to now as a foreign corporation. The incorporators are G. Bion Allen of Pawtucket and Theodore Francis Green and Arthur M. Allen of Providence.

A capital of $3,000,000 is set down in the charter. Of this $100,000 is preferred stock, the par value being $100. Preferred stock will draw 6 per cent. cumulative dividends from Jan. 1, 1913, and no more, payable semi-annually. The corporation reserves the right to have the first opportunity to purchase its own stock from any stockholders.

To obtain the Rhode Island charter the new corporation was required to pay a fee of $3,000, as required by the State. No reason was given for the change from the English charter.

CONDITIONS OF TRADE.

All Previous Export Records Broken—Large Business Expansion.

Commenting on general business conditions, Dun's Review says:

The notable development at the close of the year is the tremendous expansion in exports, which are breaking all previous records, the movement from the Port of New York for the latest week amounting to $26,376,000—$4,136,000 larger than in 1911, $17,175,000 larger than in 1910, and $6,007,000 in excess of imports. This expansion in exports is due to the increased foreign demand for the products of the soil and the mills; it is not accompanied by a decline in imports, which as a matter of fact are about $4,000,000 greater than in the two preceding years. There is some slowing down of domestic operations in the closing weeks of the year, as is usual, due to necessary readjustments and taking of stock, yet the current statistics of business continue almost as noteworthy as those of foreign commerce. Bank clearings (about the best measure of activity available) increased this week 11.9 per cent., as compared with 1911, and 17.8 per cent., as compared with 1910, and railroad gross earnings for the first half of December gained 3.8 per cent. Retail holiday trade was of imposing proportions, and this exhibition of buying power on the part of the people, as the result of agricultural fruitfulness and of fully employed and highly paid labor, has a favorable effect on wholesale trade and on industrial lines.

Bradstreet's says:

What is described in most sections of the country as a record holiday trade has crowned a year which has had few equals and fewer superiors in nearly every line of human endeavor. This, of course, refers directly to volume of product or value of output rather than to margins of profit, which are conceded to have been cut in many lines, necessitating a larger volume of sales to return an equal aggregate of net results. Best reports as to holiday and retail trade came from the West, Northwest, most parts of the Southwest, and the Pacific Coast. In the Eastern States trade has been good, and there are many large centres reporting the year-end trade as breaking all records. Less buoyant advices came from the South east of the Mississippi, but here shorter yields are held mainly responsible for whatever falling off is noted from sanguine expectations or from the records of a year ago.

THE BUSINESS WORLD

DRY GOODS BREAK RECORD.

Marshall Field & Co. Report Orders Doubling Those of Last Year.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Marshall Field & Co. in their weekly review of the dry-goods trade say:

"The holiday business closed strong on Monday and Tuesday of this week. New business coming in since Christmas Day indicates that retailers are anticipating that business will continue good, and are making ample preparations for January clearing sales, also special sales of new Spring lines.

"Orders for staple merchandise on hand Thursday morning were more than double in number those of the same day a year ago. Shipments of such lines as white goods, linens, wash goods, undermuslins and laces for January sales are now being made.

"Retailers are anxious for this merchandise, and many requests are being received for earlier shipments than were specified when advance orders were taken.

"Road men going out to their respective territories are enthusiastic as to prospects for a good business during the next half year.

"Several days preceding Christmas were the heaviest selling days in the experience of our retail store, all previous records being broken."

LOAN COMPANY LIQUIDATING.

No Future for Enterprise of Which C. S. Fairchild Is President.

Supt. Van Tuyl of the State Banking Department closed yesterday the Birkbeck Investment, Savings and Loan Company of America, whose office was at 8 Bible House, for the purpose of liquidating its affairs. No question of solvency is involved and it was said officially that nobody would lose anything.

The trouble with the company was that it was moribund and in recent years had done practically no business. It was started in 1892 and was a building loan association National in scope. Charles S. Fairchild, who was Secretary of the Treasury in Cleveland's administration, has been President of the company for several years, and as it had no future devoted his efforts to liquidating it without loss to investors.

For the last two years he has sought to buy in all the shares. A small number remain outstanding, but as Mr. Fairchild was unable to find the owners by advertising and other means it was apparent that they could not be got in at this time and at his instance the Banking Department closed the offices. In the final liquidation the value of the shares still standing out will be deposited with the Banking Department to await claimants.

The company reported on Jan. 1, 1912, assets of $164,692. Of this about $66,000 consisted of loans on bond and mortgage, $34,000 of stocks and bonds, and $32,000 real estate.

WAIT FOR MILLINERY STYLES.

Buyers Delay Orders to See Imported Models.

Business is generally quiet in the local millinery trade. Buyers from the Middle West and the Coast are expected soon after the turn of the year, and considerable activity is looked for at that time. Salesmen now on the road are sending in some fair-sized advance Spring orders, but buying is not heavy. The thought of tariff revision is said to have something to do with the conservatism of buyers, but undoubtedly retailers, particularly those handling the better grades of goods, are waiting until the season has advanced further in order to see the imported models.

Importers are still abroad getting ideas and placing orders. Judging from the early showings, small shapes and small trimmings are to be in great demand. Odd, brilliant colorings predominate both in feathers and flowers. Bright colored shapes are also expected to be good. Fancy ribbons with Picot edges are in fair demand for trimming purposes.

GOOD CALL FOR RUGS.

Feature of a Fairly Active Market in Floor Coverings.

Despite the holiday interruption, a fairly large volume of mail orders has been received in the local floor coverings trade this week. Many of them were confirmations of tentative orders placed when the salesmen called, but on the whole the trade was apparently satisfied with the week's results. The call for rugs was the feature in that end of the market, the demand for the higher-priced lines being reported especially good.

Many of the roadmen who came in for Christmas are now outward bound again, and little interruption of buying is looked for during the balance of the road season. Many buyers are said to have yet to cover against the higher prices that will be declared after the first of the year, and business from these sources in the next few days is expected to be of sizeable proportions.

The week in linoleums and floor coverings was productive of little that was new.

LATEST CUSTOMS RULINGS.

Insulating Tapes Cut, While Fancy Feathers Are Held High.

The Board of United States General Appraisers sustained a protest by Hermann Schutte & Co. against the assessment under the tariff act of 1909 of advertising and insulating tapes as "cotton tapes" under Paragraph 349 at 60 per cent. ad valorem. Duty was allowed under Paragraph 332 on manufactures of cotton at 45 per cent. ad valorem.

The board upheld the duty imposed by the Collector at St. Louis on ornamental feathers imported by C. H. Wyman & Co. They were assessed at 60 per cent. ad valorem under Paragraph 438 of the present law. Various claims for reduction were advanced.

A. G. Spalding & Brother and R. J. Worsdell & Co. obtained lower duty on football backs of cattle hide, dressed and finished. They were assessed at 15 per cent. ad valorem under Paragraph 451, act of 1909, as finished leather products. The importers asked 7½ per cent. under Paragraph 450 as grain leather. The board also reduced the duty on bridle backs imported by Bartley Brothers & Hall and F. L. Kraemer & Co. from 15 per cent. ad valorem to 7½ per cent.

The Collector assessed 30 per cent. ad valorem against cylindrical metal tubes imported by Schieffelin & Co., Cailler & Co., Inc., and Fritsche Brothers. The board allowed free entry on the ground that they were usual coverings of certain contents.

WANTS MORE SUGAR GROWN.

We Should Raise All We Need, Says Agriculture Report to Farmers.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—With the assertion that the United States should raise all its own sugar, the Department of Agriculture issued an appeal to-day to the American farmer to cultivate the sugar beet. The department states that there are 2,000,000 short tons of beets now imported annually, which should be raised at home, and proceeds to eulogize the beet as not only a profitable vegetable to grow, but as an aid in advancing the fertility of the soil.

"The average American consumes eighty-two pounds of sugar each year," says the report, "and only ten pounds of that ration is now produced in this country. The farmers of this country should keep that money at home, in other words, put it in their pockets, and the Department of Agriculture has been trying for sixteen years to show them how and to induce them to do so."

Although the crops of sugar beets have increased from 81,729 short tons in 1899 to more than 700,000 short tons, Secretary Wilson believes that even better showing should be made, for he holds that the beet industry has established its worth. He would have one million extra acres planted in the coming year in order that the amount now imported might be kept out by the home-grown product.

WILL TEST ALL FABRICS.

U. S. Conditioning & Testing Co. to Extend Work in 1913.

The management of the United States Conditioning and Testing Company, 340 Hudson Street, which is operated under the direction of the Silk Association of America, has decided to extend its facilities to include all branches of textile testing. D. E. Douty of the National Bureau of Standards, Washington, has been appointed manager, and will assume active direction of the business on Jan. 2.

The facilities of the laboratories will be increased to undertake the conditioning of cotton, wool, and other fibres, whether in the raw or in top, noil, yarn, or fabric. A chemical laboratory will be added and placed in charge of a capable chemist, who will devote his time to the solution of problems pertaining to textile chemistry.

The physical testing will be extended to include cloth testing, and a textile analyst to furnish data on fibre, weave, tensile strength, and similar matters, will be in charge. F. G. Boye, the Superintendent, will continue in charge of the department devoted to the testing of silk.

MORE CANES IN NEW YORK.

In Other Cities Orders This Year Have Dropped Off.

The umbrella business, on the whole, has been rather a disappointment this Fall, but manufacturers report holiday orders about up to normal. Cane manufacturers have fared better, and the year for them will end with a satisfactory volume of business. More canes are now carried in New York than in some time past, and the demand seems to be increasing. In other cities business is said to be poor generally, and orders have dropped off considerably in comparison with other years.

The Prince of Wales shapes have proved the most popular both in canes and umbrellas, owing to the fact that they are so easily carried over the arm. Among the popular woods used are pimento, bamboo and penang. Staple partridge umbrella handles are also in fair demand. The call has been largely for the better class of goods in neat plain effects. Silver and gold-trimmed canes have been bought liberally.

CONSULAR TRADE NOTES.

Vice Consul General Hubert G. Baugh of Singapore reports that the total revenue of the Federated Malay States for 1911 was $19,912,117, exceeding the revenue for 1910 by nearly $5,000,000. Royalties on tin and tin ore formed $5,000,424 of this sum and constituted an advance of $941,874 over the royalties received in the preceding year.

The production of honey in the United Kingdom during 1912 has been only about half of that for the season of 1911, and profits have been very materially reduced, with the result that in Scotland many keepers have given up their bees. Bad weather seriously affected the yield.

In the past few years the film industry has greatly increased in importance in France, and there are now many firms manufacturing films in addition to other photographic goods. The centre of the industry is at Lyon, where most of the important firms have factories and stocks.

The United States ships more goods into and buys more from Bermuda than all other countries combined. Of the total imports for 1911, valued at $2,654,870, a gain of $138,530 over 1910, the United States furnished merchandise valued at $1,448,664, a gain of $149,401 over 1910.

BUSINESS NOTES.

Sirkin & Sirkin, hosiery, now at 838 Broadway, will move to 465 Broadway about Feb. 1.

James H. Moffett & Co., importers of knit goods, are now located in the new Passavant Building, 440 Fourth Avenue. They were formerly in the Flatiron Building.

B. Edmund David, tie silks, 47 Greene Street, will locate at 440 Fourth Avenue about Jan. 15. The entire eighth floor there will be occupied by him.

SIDELIGHTS ON SELLING.

Manufacturers of umbrellas are now busily engaged in preparing the Spring lines of parasols, which will be ready soon after the first of the year.

It is generally believed that there will be no advance in linoleum prices this season despite the complaints of the manufacturers that present figures are much too low.

Local cane manufacturers have enjoyed an unusually good holiday trade this year. The demand in the higher-priced goods was chiefly for snakewood sticks trimmed with solid gold.

PRINTCLOTH MARKET QUIET.

There was little or no activity in the local printcloth market yesterday. Prices were firm and unchanged for the most part. The day's quotations follow:

Twenty-seven-inch, 56-52s, 3¼c; 27-inch, 56-56s, 3⅜c; 27-inch, 64-60s, 3 13-16c; 28-inch, 64-60s, 3 15-16c; 28-inch, 64-64s, 4 1-16c; 38½-inch, 60-52s, 4¾c; 38½-inch, 64-60s, 5¼c; 38½-inch, 64-64s, 5½c; 39-inch, 68-72s, 5⅞c; 39-inch, 72-76s, 6½@6⅝c; 39-inch, 80-80s, 7⅜c; brown sheetings, Southern standard, 8@8½c; brown sheetings, 4-yard, 56-60s, 6¼c; brown sheetings, 3-yard, 7¼@7½c; brown drills, standard, 8@8¼c; denims, 9-ounce, 14@16¾c; tickings, 8-ounce, 13@13½c; standard prints, 5½c, and standard staple ginghams, at value, and 6½c.

BUSINESS TROUBLES.

THE NEW YORK METAL HOSE COMPANY.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against the New York Metal Hose Company of 42 Broadway, with a shop at 80 Pearl Street, by Elsman, Levy, Corn & Lewine, attorneys for these creditors: Meyer Auerbach, $2,000; Harry C. Irwin, $575, and Sadie Roth, $25. It was alleged that the company was insolvent, made preferential payments to various companies and individuals, and transferred merchandise to the United Metal Hose Company without adequate consideration. Judge Holt appointed Archibald Douglas receiver, with a bond of $3,000. Liabilities were $30,000 and assets $5,000. It was put forth on information and belief that many accounts receivable had been hypothecated to certain bankers, who are insisting on payment of the advances made; that Julius Kahn, President and Manager, had used funds of the company to pay personal debts; that he intended to enter the services of the United Metal Hose Company, which was formed on Dec. 9; that the name of this new company had been painted on the office door at 42 Broadway as successor to the alleged bankrupt, and that $8,000 of merchandise had been sold to the new company or to Julius Blum, who controls it.

ADOLPH FORTUNOFF.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Adolph Fortunoff, jobber in enameled ware at 291 and 293 Bowery, by these creditors: Samuel Katz, $600; Hyman Ehrlich, $600, and Lerner Brothers, $25. It was alleged that he is insolvent, made preferential payments of $1,000, and removed property worth $1,000. Judge Holt appointed Gervase Green receiver; bond $500. It was said that the liabilities are $10,000, and assets probably $750. He began business in 1902, and formerly had five branch stores in this city, the Bronx, and Brooklyn, which he disposed of in January, 1911.

MAX HIRSCH.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Max Hirsch, dealer in baby carriages, toys, and trunks at 2,035 Third Avenue and 200 East Eighty-seventh Street, by these creditors: Isidor Springer, $300, and David Streicher, $225. It was alleged that he made preferential payments of $500. He began business on March 1, 1910. Judge Holt appointed Archibald Palmer receiver; bond $1,000. Assets are probably $1,500.

PEOPLE'S CREDIT COMPANY.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Somall Stein, doing business as the People's Credit Company, dealer in clothing, &c., at 517 Lenox Avenue, by these creditors: Max Lacher, $305; Brookman & Berkowitz, $102, and Michaelson Brothers, $183. It was alleged that he is insolvent and made preferential payments of $2,000. He has been in business at the above address since July, 1911.

Mme. ROSE.—Rose Loewenheim, doing business as Mme. Rose, modiste, at 509 Fifth Avenue, has filed a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $4,741 and assets of $1,186, consisting of stock, $250; fixtures, $500; accounts, $433, and cash in bank, $3. She owes Bernard Bugg $1,000 for rent. Among the debtors is Mrs. F. Augustus Heinze, Broadway and Seventy-first Street, $342. She has been a dressmaker since 1895.

SAMUEL KURZMAN.—Judge Mayer has appointed Marshall S. Hagar receiver for Samuel Kurzman, clothier, at 17 Columbus Avenue, corner of Eighty-seventh Street and Broadway, bond $7,500, with authority to continue business ten days.

MORRIS GOLDSTEIN.—Judge Holt has appointed Chester T. Neal receiver for Morris Goldstein, dealer in dry goods, at 268 Bleecker Street, with authority to continue business ten days. Assets are $1,250.

C. GAVRAS & CO.—Judge Holt has appointed George S. Kekabian receiver for C. Gavras & Co., grocers, at 240 East 113th Street, with authority to continue business ten days. The stock is about $800.

JOSEPH LINKER.—Schedules in bankruptcy of Joseph Linker, shoe dealer in Yonkers, show liabilities $9,233 and assets $4,254, consisting of stock $4,000, fixtures $250, and cash in bank $4. Among the creditors are the Westchester Trust Company, Yonkers, $1,726; Yonkers National Bank, $706, and Hamilton Brown Shoe Company, Boston, $1,100.

AUTOMOBILE FAULT FINDER AND ANTI-FORGERY ELECTRIC PEN COMPANY.—Schedules in bankruptcy of the Automobile Fault Finder and Anti-Forgery Electric Pen Company of 530 East Seventy-second Street show liabilities $6,680 and assets $943; cash and patents value unknown. Among the creditors are Max E. Weinberger, $3,000, and Otto Gas Engine Company, $315.

B. ABEL & CO.—Schedules on the assignment of Bernard Abel, trading as B. Abel & Co., produce commission merchant at 305 Washington Street, who has been in business thirty years, show liabilities $48,333, normal assets $49,919, and actual assets $28,975, consisting of stock, fixtures, and real estate $14,920 and good accounts $14,055. The bad or uncollectable accounts are $20,944. Among the creditors are the Aetna National Bank, $12,000; Monmouth County Farm Exchange, $4,013; Fruit Auction Company, $2,754; J. C. Linde Company, $1,950; Connell Auction Company, $1,717; Marion L. Abel, $2,000, and A. H. Jessinsky, $2,000.

MITTENTHAL & LIEBERMAN.—Jacob E. Mittenthal and Charles Lieberman, who compose the firm of Mittenthal & Lieberman, shirt manufacturers at 60 Lispenard Street, have made an assignment to Albert Samisch. They began business in March, 1909, claiming to have $7,000 cash capital.

JUDGMENTS ENTERED.

The following judgments for more than $100 were filed yesterday, the first name being that of the debtor:

Asbury, Clement B.—J. J. Tierney, $2,942.

Anspacher, Joseph E., and Elmer E. Hawes—Shank Realty and Construction Co., $224.

Archibald, Frank D.—F. De Montebello et al., $938.

Breidenbach, Gus—Reville-Siesel Co., $225.

Bostock, Geoffrey R., and Albert Wilson—H. W. Vogel et al., $249.

Borman, Rubin, and Julius Wollman—Atlas Underwear Co., $136.

Barris, Frederick, and Abraham B. Lewis—A. Watterson et al., $173.

Bishop, Clarence E.—C. W. Swan, $114.

Bollis, William H.—Manhattan Leasing Co., $203.

Bonnette, Ellen S., executrix—J. J. A. Molloy, costs, $307.

Carlson, Andrew—Kelly Island Transport Co., $124.

Decker, Philip A. and Pauline—Germania Bank of the City of New York, $825.

Daniel, Anna K.—U. S. Trust Co. of N. Y., $7,787.

De Morn, Gustave—P. K. Vloch, $145.

De Szymanski, Etienne—L. W. Schwenk, $176.

Fuller, Henry H.—W. H. Tice, $300.

Fleck, Gustave—D. Azwolinsky, $285.

Fein, Samuel—H. Bentzman, $2,072.

Freundlich, Morris—Samuel Sheindelman Co., $114.

Gordon, Samuel, and Isaac Bootelkoff—F. Armbruster, $249.

Goodall, Richard—A. L. Cornish, $260.

Hughey, Samuel—P. W. McConihe, $131.

Hookey, George N.—J. Dillon, $1,536.

Hirshfeld, Adolf—Electric Cable Co., $1,567.

Heidelberg, Max C.—E. G. Soltmann, $336.

Hendrickson, Charles S.—J. B. Grevatt et al., $114.

Hamilton, George M.—J. Lewis, $133.

Higginbotham, Josephine—T. P. Hyatt, $112.

Hanewald, Julius—W. T. Swezey's Son & Co., $269.

Isaacson, Harris, guardian—Central Stamping Co. et al., $108.

Johnson, William D.—H. C. Harris, $658.

Kaplan, Samuel, Elias Kaplan, Nathaniel Kaplan, and Simon Kaplan—H. Flax, $174.

King, Geo. A., adm.—J. S. L'Amoreaux, $948.

Klein, Fritz—A. Wachenhut, $157.

Kuzan, William—Seminole Distributing Co., $108.

Knaris, Louis—Faramel Mfg. Co., $321.

Liebling, Charles, and Israel Horowitz—S. Levin, $170.

Lichtenheim, Adela—L. C. Kretzmer, $120.

Landau, Benjamin—I. Chaitin & Co., $592.

Levittan, Nathan W.—M. Goldfarb, $120.

Levy, Barney and Morris—N. Gartner, $496.

Miller, Ernest W.—McElraevy & Hauck Co., $283.

McCoy, Henry J.—McMann & Taylor Co., $150.

Mannillo, Frank—Bank of Rome, $1,130.

Molinari, Giovanni—A. Gama, $694.

Same—M. M. Gama, $694.

Marks, Samuel, Elkin Marks, and David Marks—J. Katz, $21,429.

Maurer, Louis—S. Altman, $449.

Mosher, W. Paul—N. Stavisky, $182.

Marcantonio, Vito, and Lanzetta Alessandro—Staple Realty Co. et al., costs, $113.

Same—Empire Brick and Supply Co., costs, $731.

Marcantonio, Vito, and Lanzetta Alessandro—V. Valentine, $336.

Naylor, Hartman—Gimbel Bros., New York, $140.

Nachemson, Simon—A. Sarath, $1,215.

O'Beirne, Mary and George—E. Levenson, $1,089.

Passaro, Naffiline—B. Jaffe, $101.

Puterman, Samuel—N. Y. Brass Turning Co., $131.

Pletscher, Martin—Title Guarantee and Trust Co., $286.

Rosenblum, Samuel—J. Efron, $112.

Root, William G.—Mercantile Printing and Stationery Co., $147.

Rosenzweig, Pauline, and Simon Solomon—L. Bloom, $155.

Stark, Joseph—B. N. Dorman, $172.

Stander, Jacob A., and William J. Huppenlacher—N. Y. Independent Meat Co., $376.

Schiffert, Frank J.—United Distillers' Co., $114.

Thompson, Evelyn—I. Bulman, $158.

Trenhaft, Henry—R. Schlaepfer, $608.

Unger, Samuel—H. Falk et al., $152.

Van Hafften, John F.—North Eastern Forestry Co., $306.

Weidenfeld, Camile—P. K. Deane, $1,318.

Winn, Charles A.—Burnham & Phillips, Inc., $269.

Atlantic Beef Co.—J. J. Felin & Co., $267.

Same—W. E. Read et al., $512.

Same—Hoehn & Mayer, $421.

Same—Indianapolis Abattoir Co., $868.

A. Warren Construction Co.—M. Augusta Duer et al., $1,352.

Auto Owners' Sales Co.—A. Hernandez, $148.

American Transparol Co.—Oswald Publishing Co., $288.

Bonwit, Harris & Co.—Estate of Bradish Johnson, $5,433.

City of New York—H. E. Fox, $289.

Froma Realty Co. and Title Guarantee and Trust Co.—S. Hoffman, costs, $311.

Foundation Co.—C. F. Seidak, $5,139.

Himalaya Mining Co.—A. Lorsch, $272.

Hudson's, Inc.—F. N. Burt Co., Ltd., $208.

House of Specials—J. Klein, $118.

Long Island Machine Tool & Electrical Works, Inc.—Newark Watch Case Material Co., $504.

Namon Gowertz Co.—T. Frederick Jackson, Inc., $124.

Standard Cleaning & Dyeing Co.—J. G. Timolat, $302.

Whitehouse Lunch Co.—A. L. O'Shea, $1,248.

Wyona Building Co. and Emery H. Komlos—E. M. Houghtaling et al., $157.

William J. Wright Co.—J. J. Howell, $180.

JUDGMENTS SATISFIED.

The first name is that of the debtor, the second that of the creditor, and the date that when judgment was filed:

Dominger & Morris, Inc.—E. E. Breck, Aug. 15, 1912, $190.

Ebling Brewing Co.—A. G. Bradley, June 5, 1912, $362.

Donahue, Mary E.—Gorham Co., Dec. 18, 1912, $176.

Kellogg, Orlando and William S.—G. J. F. Karges, Oct. 29, 1912, $375.

Mooney, Thomas J.—Burns Bros., Aug. 7, 1912, $171.

Merrick, John W., and G. Wuerth Mfg. Co.—Manhattan Leasing Co., Dec. 17, $162.

National Surety Co. and James Morscci—People, &c., Dec. 20, 1912, $500.

New York Transportation Co.—J. M. Kelly, June 25, 1912, 2,090.

Same—J. Wetherell, May 27, 1912, $839.

New York Central & Hudson River Railroad Co.—J. Sullivan, Dec. 21, 1912, $3,750.

Ruppert, Jacob—P. Mulvaney, Nov. 23, 1912, $389.

Same—P. J. Gallagher, Dec. 16, 1908, $7,487.

Schmidt, Carl—Tweedie Trading Co., Apr. 23, 1912, $6,096.

Ruppert, Jacob—T. P. Tierney, July 18, 1911, (reversed,) $1,140.

National Fireproofing Co.—E. Finney, Jan. 22, 1912, (reversed,) $8,541.

Goodman, Patrick—T. Shine, Apr. 18, 1912, $102.

Mintern, John McK.—H. D. Nicoll, May 19, 1893, $571.

Goodwin, Patrick—T. Shine, Oct. 10, 1911, $1,091.

Liebow, Elias, and Harry Levine—I. M. Schiller, Dec. 4, 1912, $132.

NEW INCORPORATIONS.

New York.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, Dec. 27.—Thirty-eight companies were incorporated to-day, including the following:

Art Silk Yarn Company, Incorporated, of Manhattan; artificial silk yarn; $500,000. Bernhard W. Wilkens, C. Adolf Greiner, Charles A. Hermain; 96 Spring Street, New York City.

National Liquor Stores Company, Incorporated, of Buffalo; $500,000. Clarence J. Madden, William F. Rose, F. Walter Collet; Rochester.

E. C. McWatty Company, Incorporated, of Manhattan; corsets; $75,000. Edwin C. McWatty, Augusta J. Lecoutre, Frederick J. Seward; 20 West Twenty-second Street, New York City.

Sweet Water Hygeia Ice Company, Incorporated, of Smithtown; refrigerating processes; $60,000. Arthur R. Pardington, Warren L. Sawyer, Robert F. Miller; 37 Columbia Heights, Brooklyn.

Greater New York Suburban Realty Corporation of Middletown; $100,000. B. Helterline, Frank P. Cox, Charles E. Taylor; 11 South Street, Middletown.

Miller's Restaurant Company, Incorporated, of Manhattan; $20,000. Edward F. Miller, Benjamin L. Friedland, Kate Newman; Manhattan.

Edward A. Hillebrand Realty Company, Incorporated, of Manhattan; $10,000. Edward I. Hillebrand, Clara Hillebrand, Augusta Pflugheber; 740 Jackson Avenue, New York City.

Rogers-Gallagher Construction Company, Incorporated, of the Bronx; realty; $10,000; Michael A. Gallagher, Clarence C. Rogers, John Kasser; 2,292 Loring Place, New York City.

Sosmopolitan Production Company, Incorporated, of Manhattan; realty; $10,000; Gustav Freilwig, Henry W. Mack, Nicol Gerson; New York City.

Eagle Garage Company of Jamestown, Incorporated, of Jamestown; $25,000. Samuel B. Robbins, Olive M. Spencer, George Rappole; Bemus Point, N. Y.

M. A. Gants Company, Incorporated, of Manhattan; wines and liquors; $25,000. Milfred A. Gants, Edgar Hirschberg, Leslie C. Ferguson; 610 Riverside Drive, New York City.

The Wiener Ladies' Apparel House, Incorporated, of Brooklyn; $15,000. David Wiener, Herman Rosett, Jacob Goldberg; 29 West 111th Street, New York City.

Lichtenberg Brothers & Co., Incorporated, of Manhattan; clothing; $40,000; Max Falk, Louis Lichtenberg, Isaac Lichtenberg; 2,251 Valentine Avenue, New York City.

Gordon Land and Improvement Corporation of Manhattan; realty; $10,000. Oliver W. Cooper, Ethel Farnsworth, Arvid Jansson; 137 Warburton Avenue, Yonkers.

S. & W. Leather Goods Company, Incorporated, of Manhattan; $10,000. Max B. Silverstein, Henry Goldey, A. Ralph Greene; 73 Nassau Street, New York City.

Bradt Realty Company, Incorporated, of Rochester; $10,000. Chauncey S. Bradt, Robert M. Searle, Frantz Haverstick; 60 Exchange Street, Rochester.

Henry & Williams, Incorporated, of Utica; hardware; $10,000. Joseph P. Henry, Robert H. Williams, Edward M. Williams; 35 Porter Street, Utica.

Fernbrook Realty Company, Incorporated, of Yonkers; $25,000. James J. Lynch, Magdalena L. Lynch, Thomas F. Larkin; 82 Ludlow Street, Yonkers.

Howe Remedy Company, Incorporated, of Manhattan; druggists' sundries; $10,000. G. Q. Dean, C. T. Dean, V. E. Siramark; 89 Lexington Avenue, New York City.

New York Tabloid Amusement Company, Incorporated, of Manhattan; theatrical; $25,000. Frank M. Byron, Thomas F. MacMahon, Irving Jaffee; 1,402 Broadway, New York City.

Citizens' Co-operative Supply Company, Incorporated, of Schenectady; household supplies; $10,000. Charlotte K. Kruesi, John Hickey, Robert E. Wilson; 603 Terrace Place, Schenectady.

Anton Fluegel, Incorporated, of Brooklyn; ornamental iron and steel work; $10,000. Maria Fluegel, Anton Fluegel, John Fluegel; 257 Weirfield Street, Brooklyn.

Rome Patents Holding Company, Incorporated, of Manhattan; realty; $25,000. John J. Hayden, Jacques L. Woldenberg, Edmond R. Lyon; 258 Broadway, New York City.

Oswego Textile Company, Incorporated, of Oswego; knit goods; $25,000. James A. Shufelt, Albert C. Coon, William H. Spanswick; Fulton.

Wright-Rose Engineering Company, Incorporated, of Buffalo; engineering and contracting; $10,000. George A. Wright, George A. Rose, Hugh E. McSloy; St. Catherine's, Ontario.

McKinley-McGuire Construction Company, Incorporated, of Niagara Falls; engineering and contracting; $20,000. John F. McKinley, Terrence C. McGuire, William C. Wallace; 58 Gluck Building, Niagara Falls.

New Jersey.

Special to The New York Times.

TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 27.—The following incorporations were chartered in the office of the Secretary of State to-day:

Overlook Hospital Company, Summit, $200,000, to conduct a hospital. Incorporators—Thomas F. Prout, William J. Lamson, and Frederick T. Lawrence.

Independent Embroidery Machine Company, Hoboken, $100,000, to manufacture embroideries. Incorporators—John F. Gardner, Richard W. Guthell, and Frederick Foster.

United Throwing Company, Paterson, $25,000, to manufacture silk. Incorporators—Edward Bloom, Abraham Bloom, and Harry Aronson.

Manahan Brothers Heating Company, Hoboken, $50,000, plumbers. Incorporators—Francis L. Manahan, Ezra W. Demond, and Arthur W. Bowditch.

Broadway Amusement Company, Camden, $50,000, to conduct amusements. Incorporators—K. L. Fraiser, J. F. Sutton, and T. Harry Rowland.

Petroleum Company of New Jersey, Newark, $250,000, to deal in oils. Incorporators—Edward Hart, Joseph Snyder, and Mary H. Culvert.

DECISIONS AND CALENDARS.

STATE.

Decisions.

The Appellate Division, First Department, announced the following decisions yesterday:

Elizabeth D. Pratt, as administratrix, respondent, vs. Alfred E. Norton Company, appellant.—Judgment and order affirmed, with costs. No opinion. Order filed.

John Quinn, respondent, vs. Donald C. Catlin, appellant.—Judgment and order affirmed, with costs. No opinion. Order filed.

In the matter of William E. Willcox et al.—Appeal dismissed, with $10 costs and disbursements, on the authority of matter of City, (Valley Stream,) 152 App. Div., 422, and matter of Hamilton, (143 App. Div., 302.) Order filed.

The People, &c., respondent, vs. Thomas O'Brien et al., appellants.—Judgment and order affirmed. No opinion. Order filed.

Mary E. Leahy, appellant, vs. City of New York, respondent.—Judgment affirmed, with costs. No opinion. Order filed.

Mary Gorman, appellant, vs. City of New York, respondent.—Judgment affirmed, with costs. No opinion. Order filed.

Herman Schroeder, respondent, vs. Central Railroad of New Jersey, appellant.—Judgment and order affirmed, with costs. No opinion. Order filed.

Rudolph Heiser, respondent, vs. Cincinnati Abattoir Company, appellant.—Judgment and order affirmed, with costs. No opinion. (Laughlin, J., dissenting.) Order filed.

In the matter of Nina M. Stedman, deceased.—Decree and order affirmed, with costs. No opinion. Order filed.

Julia Johnson, as administratrix, respondent, vs. Post & McCord, impleaded, appellant.—Judgment and order affirmed, with costs. No opinion. Order filed.

Frank Graham and another, respondents, vs. Phil Sheridan, appellant.—Order affirmed, with $10 costs and disbursements. No opinion. Order filed.

Mary E. Pritchett, respondent, vs. Soloman Richman, appellant.—Judgment and order affirmed, with costs. No opinion. Order filed.

The People, &c., respondent, vs. Sarah Ladin, appellant.—Judgment affirmed. No opinion. Order filed.

Gutta Percha and Rubber Manufacturing Company, respondent, vs. Charles J. Holman, as Treasurer, &c., appellant.—Order affirmed, with $10 costs and disbursements, with leave to defendant to withdraw demurrer and to answer on payment of costs. No opinion. (Ingraham, P. J., and McLaughlin, J., dissenting.) Order filed.

Alaska Banking and Safe Deposit Company, respondent, vs. James E. Childs et al., appellants.—Judgment and order affirmed, with costs. No opinion. Order filed.

Katerina Haberland, respondent, vs. City of New York, impleaded, appellant. Erick G. Haberland v. same.—Judgments and orders reversed, new trial ordered, costs to appellant to abide event on the ground that the finding of negligence on the part of the city was against the weight of evidence. Settle orders on notice.

John W. Clark, respondent, vs. John G. Wendel, appellant.—Judgment and order affirmed, with costs. No opinion. Order filed.

James K. Hackett, respondent, vs. William A. Brady, Limited, appellant.—Judgment affirmed, with costs. No opinion. Order filed.

Della T. Hodges, respondent, vs. Long Island Railroad Company, appellant.—Judgment and order reversed, new trial ordered, costs to appellant to abide event on the ground that the finding of the jury that the defendant was negligent is against the weight of evidence. Settle order on notice.

Ida Rosenzweig, appellant, vs. Louis Firuski, respondent.—Judgment and order affirmed, with costs. No opinion. Order filed.

Reginald H. Sayre, appellant, vs. Progressive Construction and Leasing Company, respondent.—Order affirmed, with $10 costs and disbursements, on the ground that the complaint does not state facts sufficient to constitute a cause of action. Order filed.

John F. Mayhew, respondent, vs. August Belmont Hotel Company, appellant.—Judgment and order affirmed, with costs. No opinion. (Laughlin and Dowling, JJ., dissenting.) Order filed.

Elizabeth B. Grannis, respondent, vs. James W. Ewell, appellant.—Determination affirmed, with costs, on opinion at Appellate Term. Order filed.

Yerlenden Brothers, Incorporated, respondent, vs. James Talcott, appellant.—Judgment and order affirmed, with costs. No opinion. Order filed.

Roland R. Conklin, appellant, vs. Samuel M. Jarvis, respondent.—Order affirmed, with $10 costs and disbursements. No opinion. Order filed.

Mary Remington, individually, &c., appellant, vs. John B. Taylor et al., respondents.—Order affirmed, with $10 costs and disbursements. No opinion. Order filed.

Sidney S. Schuyler et al., respondents, vs. Hocking Valley Products Company, appellant. Same vs. same.—Orders affirmed, with $10 costs and disbursements. No opinion. Orders filed.

Matter of Benjamin Steinman and another, respondents, vs. Eva K. Conlon, appellant.—Orders affirmed, with $10 costs, and disbursements. No opinion. Order filed.

Isaac Mittendorf, appellant, vs. Seth M. Milliken et al., respondents.—Order modified as stated in memomandum, and as modified affirmed, with $10 costs and disbursements to the respondent. Memorandum per curiam. Settle order on notice.

Title Guarantee and Trust Co. and another, respondents, vs. Asbestos Shingle Slate and Sheathing Co., appellant.—Order modified as stated in memorandum and as modified, affirmed, without costs. Memorandum per curiam. Settle order on notice.

The same vs. Keasbey & Mattison Co.—Order affirmed, with $10 costs and disbursements. No opinion. Order filed.

Southern Cotton Oil Company, respondent, vs. Charles F. Garrigues Company, appellant.—Order reversed, with $10 costs and disbursements and motion denied, with $10 costs, on Belasco vs. Klaw, (98 App. Div., 74,) on the ground that the complaint in this action contains no prayer for injunctive relief. Order filed.

Isabella M. Murphy, respondent, vs. James T. Murphy, appellant.—Order modified as stated in memorandum, and as modified affirmed, with $10 costs and disbursements. Memorandum per curiam. Settle order on notice.

Arthur H. Lamborn, respondent, vs. Louisiana Sugar Company et al., appellants.—Order affirmed, with $10 costs and disbursements. No opinion. Order filed.

In the matter of William O'Connor.—Orders affirmed, with $10 costs and disbursements. No opinion. Order filed.

People ex rel. Samuel Sellers, appellant, vs. Frank W. Fox, Warden, &c., respondent.—Order affirmed. No opinion. Order filed.

Louis Oppenheimer, appellant, vs. Emanuel Van Raalte and another, respondents.—Order modified as stated in memorandum per curiam, and as so modified affirmed, without costs. Memorandum per curiam. Settle order on notice.

Matter of Voda E. Snyder, respondent, vs. Frank L. Fisher Company, impleaded, appellant.—Order affirmed, with $10 costs and disbursements. No opinion. Order filed.

Julius Bien Company, appellant, vs. P. J. Carlin Company and another, respondent.—Order affirmed, with $10 costs and disbursements. No opinion. Order filed.

Heyman Shapiro et al., respondents, vs. Abraham Quint et al., appellants.—Order affirmed, with $10 costs and disbursements. No opinion. Order filed.

People vs. Thomas F. Smith.—Motion granted unless appellant complies with terms stated in opinion. Opinion per curiam. Order filed.

People vs. Alfred Shultz.—Motion granted. Order filed.

Jesse Brenner vs. Stephen J. Stillwell.—Motion granted, with $10 costs. Order filed.

Charles Hensle Realty Company vs. City; People ex rel Arthur E. Gunn vs. James A. Henderson; People ex rel George F. Lecron vs. James Creelman; People ex rel William A. Rose vs. Cyrus C. Miller; People ex rel Charles H. Topping vs. William A. Prendergast; Barbara Schneider vs. City.—Motion granted, with $10 costs. Orders filed.

People ex rel Jane A. Smitley vs. William F. Schneider.—Motion granted. Order filed.

Nathan Swartz vs. City.—Motion granted unless appellant complies with terms stated in order. Order filed.

Rosie Scaravagline vs. Board of Education.—Motion granted, with $10 costs. Order filed.

James J. Waters vs. City.—Motion granted. Order filed.

Charles F. Notman vs. Bermuda Atlantic Steamship Company.—Motion granted, with $10 costs. Order filed.

Conrad M. Braker vs. New York Finance Company.—Motion denied. Order filed.

Lizzie Van Boskerck vs. William L. Hayward et al.—Motion to dismiss granted. Memorandum per curiam. Order filed.

John Quinn vs. Francis P. Rawle.—Motion granted unless appellant complies with terms stated in order. Order filed.

Joseph Wiener vs. Sadie Wiener.—Motion granted, with $10 costs. Order filed.

Mary O'Beirne vs. Peter Callan et al.—Motion to dismiss appeal granted, with $10 costs unless appellants comply with terms stated in order. Order filed.

Philip Callan vs. Peter Callan et al.—Motion to dismiss appeal granted, with $10 costs unless appellants comply with terms stated in order. Order filed.

Ida Felsher, an infant, vs. William Ladew Feed Company.—Motion to dismiss appeal granted, with $10 costs. Order filed.

James J. Maher vs. Nicol Mandl.—Motion to dismiss appeal granted, with $10 costs. Order filed.

People vs. Raphael Debiase.—Motion denied. Memorandum per curiam. Settle order on notice.

William Grass vs. Van Dyck Gravure Company.—Motion denied, with $10 costs. Order signed.

Michael E. Howatt vs. William M. Barrett, as President, &c.—Application granted. Order signed.

Nache Sandzig vs. Jacob Eckstein, impleaded, &c.—Application denied, with $10 costs. Order signed.

Stelios Stamatakis vs. Kostas Retsetakis.—Application denied, with $10 costs. Order signed.

William H. Henry & Co. vs. John E. Frey et al.—Application denied, with $10 costs. Order signed.

Mavel V. Schmidt vs. Patrick Kiernan.—Application denied, with $10 costs. Order signed.

Coleman & Krause vs. Fleischmann Bros. Company.—Application denied, with $10 costs. Order signed.

Lewis W. Allen vs. The Friedland Realty Company.—Application denied, with $10 costs. Order signed.

Andrew Corrish vs. The Pullman Company.—Application granted. Order signed.

Rachel Goldberg vs. Harry M. Engel et al.—Application denied, with $10 costs. Order signed.

Rachel Goldberg vs. Harry M. Engel et al.—Motion denied, with $10 costs. Order filed.

Richard I. Brewster vs. Samuel J. Silverstein.—Application denied, with $10 costs. Order signed.

Neptune Realty Company vs. Improved Property Holding Company et al.—Application denied, with $10 costs. Order signed.

David H. Gaines vs. City of New York.—Application denied, with $10 costs. Order signed.

Broadway Building Company vs. Ray D. Lillibridge.—Application denied, with $10 costs. Order signed.

Brody, Adler & Koch vs. Thomas A. Dent.—Application denied, with $10 costs. Order signed.

Mark H. Sugerman et al. vs. Alexander H. Dunscomb et al.—Application denied, with $10 costs. Order signed.

Department of Health vs. Sulzberger & Sond Company.—Application denied, with $10 costs. Order signed.

Katherine Griffin vs. Michael L. Flank.—Application denied, with $10 costs. Order signed.

Matter of Norman I. Rees, deceased.—Motion denied, with $10 costs. Order filed.

Harry P. Connor vs. Board of Education, &c.—Motion granted. Order filed.

George B. Meeteer vs. Board of Education, &c.—Motion granted. Order filed.

Tompkins C. Delevan et al. vs. New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company et al.—Motion denied, with $10 costs. Order filed.

Giuseppe Gaudenzi vs. Theodore A. Liebler et al.—Motion denied, with $10 costs. Order filed.

Herman Van Slochem vs. Harold G. Villard.—Motion granted, question certified as stated in order. Order filed.

Matter of U. S. Oxygen Co. vs. Bernard A. Buge, Inc.—Motion denied, with $10 costs. Order filed.

Matter of Charles T. Yerkes, deceased.—Motion denied, with $10 costs. Order filed.

Lydia S. Smith vs. Charles F. W. Horn.—Motion denied, with $10 costs. Order filed.

Caldwell Lead Co. vs. Home Title Insurance Co. of New York.—Motion granted, question certified as stated in order. Order filed.

Herman Van Slochem vs. Edward Ashforth et al.—Motion granted, question certified as stated in order. Order filed.

John J. Dickinson vs. David J. Tysen, impleaded, &c.—Motion denied, with $10 costs. Order filed.

Same vs. Same.—Motion denied, with $10 costs. Order filed.

Juan E. Wester et al. vs. Casein Co. of America.—Motion granted. See memorandum per curiam. Settle order on notice.

Frederic W. Shepard vs. City of New York.—Motion denied, with $10 costs. Settle order on notice.

In the matter of Samuel Lewis, Jr.—Reference ordered. Settle order on notice.

Matter of Public Service Commission, re Whitehall Street-East River-Montague Street route.—Report confirmed. Order filed.

Automobile Supply Co. vs. William Rubly.—Motion granted on conditions stated in memorandum per curiam. Settle order on notice.

Matter of Andrew D. Parker.—On Referee's report proceedings dismissed. Settle order on notice.

Matter of Max Drefkoff.—Referred to official Referee. Settle order on notice.

Matter of Robert Kuehnert.—Interrogatories allowed and settled.

New York County.

SUPREME COURT—Special Term—Part II. Page, J. Ex parte business.

SURROGATES' COURT—Chambers—Cohalan, S. No day calendar.

CITY COURT—Special Term—Part II.—Green, J. Ex parte business.

Referees Appointed—New York.

SUPREME COURT—Amend, J. Joseph Buehler v. La Rue—Charles A. Obermayer. N Y Life Ins Co v. Belden—Robert F. Wagner. Younker v. Glatner—Edwin M. Otterbourg. Keogh v. Panser—Chas L Hoffman. Mittelstaldt v. Wolf—Marcel Levy.

SUPREME COURT—Seabury, J. Ziegel v. Farese—John Z. Lowe, Jr.

SUPREME COURT—Bijur, J. Merchants Exch Nat Bank v. Eldridge—A Leo Everett. Miller v. Miller—Alexander Brough.

Receivers Appointed—New York.

SUPREME COURT—Amend, J. Matter of Concrete Products Co v. Edgar—S. Fassett.

SUPREME COURT—McCall, J. U S Trust Co v. Louis Safler—John J. Mackin. Beatrice S B Ziegel v. Allen Const Co—John J. Tracy.

CITY COURT—Green, J. 23d Ward Bank v. Louis Jager—Sol De Young. B Marmer & Son v. Max J Salzman—Howard Cohen.

Kings County.

SUPREME COURT—Special Term—Kapper, J. Ex parte business.

SUPREME COURT—Special Term—Aspinall, J. Litigated motions. No day calendar.

SURROGATES' COURT—Ketcham, S. No day calendar.

Arrival of Buyers.

Arriving buyers may register in this column by telephoning 1000 Bryant.

Taylor, William, Son & Co., Cleveland, Ohio; W. S. Berry, dress goods, silks; 51 Leonard; Manhattan.

Filenes, William, Sons Co., Boston, Mass.; E. A. Filone, dry goods; 116 W. 32d; Ritz-Carlton.

Carson, Pirie, Scott & Co., Chicago, Ill.; F. D. Crawford, hosiery, underwear; E. C. Wilson, millinery; 115 Worth.

Philipsborn Outer Garment House, Chicago, Ill.; J. Schlesinger, dresses, waists; 182 West 21st.

Hengerer, William, Co., Buffalo, N. Y.; W. C. Roberts, white goods; 214 Church.

Lazarus Brothers, Wilkesbarre, Penn.; H. W. May, rugs; C. Sjoberg, laces; 214 Church.

Hatt, S. T., Chicago, Ill.; jobs, furs; Albert.

Hochschild, Kohn & Co., Baltimore, Md.; F. Robinson, notions; 220 5th Av.

Chamberlain Co., New Haven, Conn.; R. R. Chamberlain, carpets; Flanders.

Elder & Johnston Co., Dayton, Ohio; D. V. Davis, wash goods; 2 Walker.

Rosenbaum Co., Pittsburgh, Penn.; A. E. Rogers, domestics, dress goods; E. C. Well, dry goods; 81 Union Square; Collingwood.

Davison-Paxon-Stokes Co., Atlanta, Ga.; M. Douthit, carpets; 71 West 23d St.; Navarre.

Whaples-Olvey Millinery Co., Springfield, Mo.; E. E. Olvey, millinery; Navarre.

Fields Cloak and Suit Co., Detroit, Mich.; H. Simonds, cloaks, suits; King Edward.

Davidson Bros. Co., Sioux City, Iowa; H. Fishgale, cloaks; 1,261 Broadway.

Taylor, William, Son & Co.; H. Norman, millinery; 51 Leonard.

Boggs & Buhl, Pittsburgh, Penn.; L. N. Shuman, dress goods; W. Gold, domestics; 4 Washington Place.

Forbes & Wallace, Springfield, Mass.; D. P. Birkett, ribbons, laces; 2 Walker.

Scott, Griggs Co., Cleveland, Ohio; A. Jowl, dress goods, silks; 4 W. 22d.

Fraser, R., Utica, N. Y.; W. Scheiderer, domestics; Hermitage.

Woodward & Lathrop, Washington, D. C.; J. A. Hobson, upholstery goods; 334 4th Av.

Grosz, A. H., Co., Indianapolis, Ind.; A. H. Grosz, cloaks, suits; Cumberland.

Malley, E., Co., New Haven, Conn.; E. A. Sadd, upholstery goods; 320 Church; Hermitage.

McElroy, Ford & Jones, Memphis, Tenn.; G. B. McElroy, silks; Park Avenue.

South Jersey Knitting Co., Woodbine, N. J.; B. C. Tchernosnofsky, ladies', misses', juvenile sweaters; 3 E. 17th.

Gutman, Joel, & Co., Baltimore, Md.; Miss E. Rice, leather goods; Miss M. Campbell, laces, dress trimmings; 200 5th Av.; Holland House.

Roshek, Bros. Co., Dubuque, Iowa; M. J. Ryan, domestics; 45 E. 17th; Longacre.

Great Dept. Store, Lewiston, Me.; J. L. Moriarty, silks; Victoria.

Meldrum, H. A., Co., Buffalo, N. Y.; E. Shanks, notions, leather goods; Miss M. A. Murray, corsets, muslin underwear, infants' wear; P. Masterson, domestics; 1,270 Broadway.

Horne, J., Co., Pittsburgh, Penn.; B. H. Stoufer, furn. goods; 1,270 Broadway.

Gimbel Bros., Philadelphia, Penn.; Miss B. E. Ramsey, infants' wear; Broadway and 32d.

Famous & Barr Co., St. Louis, Mo.; M. W. Sellers, upholstery goods; 4 Washington Place; Latham.

Chandler & Co., Boston, Mass.; E. E. McGuire, dry goods; Imperial.

Reins & Meiss, Cincinnati, Ohio; L. Meiss, white goods, cloaks, suits; 656 Broadway; McAlpin.

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NAME WOVEN IN THE BACK
the American Rug
DEEP PILE LOOM TUFTED
for Private Homes
A RUG OF REGAL SPLENDOR
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South Jersey Knitting Co. are open for ladies', misses', and juvenile sweaters for Fall, 1913, at 3 East 17th St., 9th floor.

AUCTION SALES.

ANDREW J. McCORMACK, Auctioneer,
REGULAR AUCTION SALE OF
STOCKS AND BONDS,
By ADRIAN H. MULLER & SON,
OFFICE, No. 55 WILLIAM ST.,
THURSDAY, JANY. 2D, 1913,
at 12:30 o'clock, at the
EXCHANGE SALESROOM,
NOS. 14 AND 16 VESEY STREET,
BY ORDER OF THE METROPOLITAN
TRUST CO. OF THE CITY OF N. Y.
1,000 shs. The Securities Corporation, Ltd.
FOR ACCT. OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.
5,000 shs. Haiti Company.
5,000 shs. Haiti Company.
40 shs. First National Bank of Jamaica, N. Y.
100 shs. Great Southern Lumber Co., with 100 shares Delaware Co. dividend attached.
100 shs. William Peterman, Inc., common.
36 shs. Merchants' National Bank.
25 shs. Bank of America.
5 shs. Hanover National Bank.
10 shs. Bank of Manhattan Company.
100 shs. Ward Baking Co. prefd.
10 shs. Equitable Trust Co.
100 shs. Union Typewriter Co. common.

SHIRTWAIST MANUFACTURING PLANT,
Formerly Fisk, Clark & Flagg,
consisting of 300 machines,
Singer 44, 13 hemstitch, button hole, tucking, fluting, pleating, &c., Chicago dryer, 7½ H. P. Diehl motor, 100 power tables, cutting tables, ironing tables and boards, racks, figures, busts, chairs, irons, &c.
DOBLIN & YOUNG, Auctioneers,
will sell Monday, Dec. 30, 10:30 A. M.,
at 22 to 28 West 19th St.,
entire contents of above in lots.

Bankruptcy Sales

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of ATLANTIC BEEF CO., Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells Monday, Dec. 30th, 1912, by order of the court, at 10:30 A. M., at 287 Eighth Av., and immediately thereafter at 588 Hudson St., Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of fixtures used in an up-to-date butcher shop, such as counters, racks, safe, scales, blocks, icebox, cash registers, meat cutting machines, &c. Also one five-passenger, three-wheeled automobile, and one three-spring light delivery wagon, 1 truck horse, and 1 truck. Inspection Dec. 27th and 28th, between 10 A. M. and 4 P. M. All information can be had at 287 8th Av., between 10 A. M. and 3 P. M., Dec. 28th.

FREDERICK S. EDICK, Receiver.
JOSEPH STEINBERG, Attorney for Receiver, 320 Broadway, New York.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of THE CENTURY SALES COMPANY, INC., Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells Saturday, December 28, 1912, by order of the court, at 10:30 A. M., at 41 Lafayette St., Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of a completely equipped plant for the manufacture and sale of toilet preparations, including powders, creams, tonics, &c., a stock of manufactured toilet preparations and raw materials used in the preparation thereof, machinery, fixtures, and furniture, trademarks, trade names, formulas, and the good-will of said business.

CHARLES J. BRECK, Trustee.
MARSHALL S. HAGAR, Attorney for Trustee, 34 Pine Street, New York.

Above sale adjourned until Monday, December 30, 1912, at 11:30 A. M.

Bankruptcy Notices

NO. 17,148.—IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF the United States for the Southern District of New York.—In the matter of JACOB HARRIS, PINCUS HARRIS, and MEYER HARRIS, trading as HARRIS BROTHERS, Alleged Bankrupts.

To the creditors of the above-named alleged bankrupts:

Please take notice that on the 16th day of December, 1912, the above proceeding was duly referred to me, as Special Master, for the purpose of calling a meeting of creditors to consider the offer of composition of 40 per cent., 20 per cent. cash and 20 per cent. in three notes, payable in four, eight, and twelve months, made by the alleged bankrupts herein, and to do each and every other thing necessary in and about carrying out said offer of composition.

Please take further notice that a special meeting of creditors will be held at the office of William Allen, Special Master, No. 67 Wall Street, New York City, on the 7th day of January, 1913, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, act upon the offer of composition herein of 40 per cent., 20 per cent. cash and 20 per cent. in three notes payable in four, eight, and twelve months, prove their claims, examine the alleged bankrupts, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

New York, December 27, 1912.

WILLIAM ALLEN,
Referee in Bankruptcy,
Acting as Special Master,
67 Wall Street, New York City.

NO. 17,286.—IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF the United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of SAMUEL PILATSKY, Bankrupt.

To the creditors of Samuel Pilatsky, of the City and County of New York and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 14th day of November, A. D. 1912, the said Samuel Pilatsky was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of creditors will be held at the office of Peter B. Olney, Esq., Referee in Bankruptcy, No. 68 William Street, City and County of New York, on the 9th day of January, A. D. 1913, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting. The bankrupt proposes to offer a composition to his creditors of 25 per cent in cash.

PETER B. OLNEY,
Dec. 27, 1912. Referee in Bankruptcy.

NO. 17,496.—IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF the United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of JOHN J. SCHOLL, Bankrupt.

To the creditors of John J. Scholl, of the City and County of New York and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 17th day of December, A. D. 1912, the said John J. Scholl was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of creditors will be held at the office of Peter B. Olney, Esq., referee in bankruptcy, No. 68 William Street, City and County of New York, on the 9th day of January, A. D. 1913, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

PETER B. OLNEY,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
December 27th, 1912.

NO. 17,543.—IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF the United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of THE THOMAS McNALLY CO., Bankrupt.

To the creditors of The Thomas McNally Co. of the City and County of New York and district aforesaid, a bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 24th day of December, A. D. 1912, the said The Thomas McNally Co. was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of creditors will be held at the office of Stanley W. Dexter, Referee in Bankruptcy, No 71 Broadway, (Room 1,510,) City and County of New York, on the 8th day of January, A. D. 1913, at 12 o'clock noon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

STANLEY W. DEXTER,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
Dated December 27, 1912.

NO. 17,464.—IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF the United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of J. SAMUEL DRUCKER, bankrupt.

To the creditors of J. Samuel Drucker of the City and County of New York and district aforesaid, a bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 11th day of December, A. D. 1912, the said J. Samuel Drucker was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of creditors will be held at the office of Nathaniel A. Prentiss, Referee in Bankruptcy, No. 2 Rector Street, City and County of New York, on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1913, at 12 o'clock noon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a Trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

NATHANIEL A. PRENTISS,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
December 27, 1912.

THE REAL ESTATE FIELD

Washington Heights Deals for Apartments — Operators Buy in Eighty-ninth Street Near Clark Mansion—Fourth Avenue Sale Pending—Insurance Company Sells Eight Bronx Flats.

Through the clearing of a title technicality to a portion of the Fort Washington Avenue roadway in the vicinity of 160th and 162d Streets, adjoining the old Loyal L. Smith Estate, a series of transactions involving two block fronts and aggregating investments of over $1,000,000 were announced yesterday. Harris & Maurice Mandelbaum entered into a contract last June with the executors of the estate to purchase the two block fronts on Fort Washington Avenue on the east side between 160th and 162d Streets. Every portion was resold, although no deeds could be given until the title to a portion of the roadway was cleared up, and that has just been done in the transfer for $10,262.50 from the city to the Smith Estate of this strip.

The Mandelbaums first sold five lots on the northeast corner of the avenue and 160th Street for cash to Mark Ash, who resold it to the Sinbar Realty Company, and they resold it to the Saranac Construction Company which has obtained a building loan from the Lawyers' Title Insurance Company for the erection of a six-story apartment.

The adjoining southeast corner of 161st Street was purchased by the Friedman Construction Company, Henry Friedman, President, and they also bought the block front to the north between 161st and 162d Streets, and building loans have been arranged for improving the entire plottage with six-story apartments.

Title has just passed to two other corners of the Smith Estate, being the northwest corner of 162d Street and Fort Washington Avenue, to the Irving Judis Company, and the southwest corner of 163d Street to Newmark & Jacobs, who have filed plans for an apartment house. The J. Romaine Brown Company was the broker in all of these and other recent sales of the Loyal L. Smith Estate.

Eighty-ninth Street Sale Near Riverside.

Another choice west side residential block soon to be invaded by an apartment house is Eighty-ninth Street between West End Avenue and Riverside Drive, on the latter corner of which is the fine Clark mansion lately sold to William H. Barnard, while the former Rice mansion now owned by Solomon Schinasi is opposite on the south corner. The three houses at 313, 315 and 317 West Eighty-ninth Street have been purchased by the Herald Square Holding Company (George Backer, Arnstein & Levy) from Charles T. Henry, J. Cleveland Cady and Alina B. Young, respectively. They have a combined frontage of 60 feet, and will be held for resale to a builder for a high-class apartment. Albert B. Ashforth and George Ranger were the brokers in the transaction. The restrictions placed upon this block by the Clark Estate for private dwellings ran out in 1911.

West Side Apartments Sold.

A trade involving about $210,000 in which a West Harlem apartment house and several Brooklyn parcels figured was reported by the William Lamberg Company, which sold for Millard Veit to the South Bensonhurst Building Company 212 and 214 West 141st Street, a six-story structure on a plot 50 by 100.

In part payment the buyer gave 1087 Bergen Street, Brooklyn, a 4½-story double flat on a plot 30 by 100; also 881, 383 and 387 East Ninety-first Street, Brooklyn, three one-family houses on a plot 20 by 100 each. Also four one-family houses on Lenox Road, known as 978, 980, 982 and 984 Lenox Road, near Ninety-first Street, Brooklyn.

Another deal in the same vicinity was the sale of 340 West 145th Street, a four-story flat on a lot 20 by 90, by R. Leerburger and others to an investor.

In the Amsterdam Avenue section S. L. Pakas sold the Marthmoore, a new six-story elevator apartment house at 508 to 514 West 139th Street, on a plot 100 by 100, located 150 feet west of Amsterdam Avenue.

Deal for Fourth Av. Corner Pending.

Negotiations are pending for the sale of the northeast corner of Twenty-ninth Street and Fourth Avenue, to a builder for improvement with a mercantile building.

The property is owned by the Protective Realty Company, of which P. H. Keenan is President, and comprises 423, 425, and 427, on the avenue, where it has a frontage of 66.2 feet. The street frontage is 80 feet. Old buildings cover the plot, which has been held at $325,000.

Broadway Building Lease.

As a result of the incorporation of the Broadway and Twenty-second Street Company, a long term lease is about to be signed by the embroidery firm of Stein, Doblin & Co., now at 477 Broadway, for the Mortimer property on the southwest corner of Broadway and Twenty-second Street. The incorporators of the new company, capitalized at $50,000, are Leonard L. Stein, Nathan Coleman, and Leopold L. Doblin, all members of the embroidery firm. The present building, it is understood, will be altered for this firm. Frederick Fox & Co. are negotiating the lease.

Bronx Borough.

The two three-story dwellings, 821 and 823 Jackson Avenue, on a plot 36 by 75, have been sold by David G. Baird and Matilda S. Davis to an investor.

The H. M. Weill Company has sold for the Sun Insurance Company of London, the four-story and store single flats, size 20 by 100 each, at 347, 349, 351, 353, 357, and 359 East 133d Street, and 340 and 342 East 134th Street, to a client. The property was held for $100,000.

William J. Nolan has sold in conjunction with Joshua L. Evans for the John H. Buscall Company, 1,258 and 1,260 Brook Avenue, near 168th Street, to Mrs. M. Higgins, who gave in part payment 26 East 131st Street, a three-story and basement dwelling, on plot 18.8 by 100.

Brooklyn.

Meyer Levenson has resold for A. A. Forman, Jr., to a client, 892 Rockaway Avenue a three-story brick building on a lot 20 by 100.

Frank A. Seaver has sold the plot 75 by 100 on the east side of Third Avenue, 25 feet south of Sixty-second Street, for J. Walsh to an investor.

Long Island.

The McKnight Realty Company has sold on the estates of Great Neck to R. Conklin of Manhattan a plot having a frontage of 136 feet on Gateway Drive, and also to M. Conklin, a plot of 103 feet frontage on Glover Drive, upon which it is the intention of the purchaser to erect a dwelling. The ground and residence, when completed, will cost approximately $19,000.

Recent Buyers.

Henry Gilsey is the purchaser of the four-story dwelling 62 East Sixty-sixth Street, sold recently by Charles L. Bernheimer. Mr. Gilsey will occupy the house.

Dwellings Leased.

Folsom Brothers have leased for Howard Conkling the house, 158 East Twenty-second Street to Mrs. Mary Prunty, also for Miss Alice Moore, house, 75 Washington Place, to Miss Sylvia Church; also for Richard Lawrence, the house, 29 West Ninth Street, to Mrs. Ernesta Davis.

The H. M. Weill Company has leased the four-story dwelling, 361 West Thirty-fourth Street, for the James C. Miller estate to M. Feltman.

Commercial Leases.

The Alrast Realty Company has leased the entire building at 408 to 412 Fulton Street to the W. J. Grant Company of Lynn, Mass. The lease is for a long term. Charles F. Meyer negotiated the lease and a number of sub leases in the building, aggregating about $500,000.

George R. Read & Co. have leased for the Marion Realty Company the store at 80 West 125th Street to Unholz & Williams for a term of ten years.

M. & L. Hess have leased for Charles W. Hoffman the building at 223 West Twenty-eighth Street to May & Co. Duross & Co. were associated as brokers.

Mortgage Loans Placed.

Slawson & Hobbs have completed negotiations with the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company and the S. B. Construction Company, (Samuel Barkin, President,) for a loan of $335,000 on the nine-story apartment house, 203 West Eighty-first Street.

Realty Notes.

A. Frank Shaw has been appointed receiver of rents of the building, 344 East 125th Street, in the case of Frederic de P. Foster vs. Grace P. Brandt to foreclose mortgage.

Results at Auction.

Yesterday's offerings in the Real Estate Salesroom, 14 and 16 Vesey Street, resulted as follows:

By Joseph P. Day.

Goerck St, 125, w s, 75 ft n of Stanton St, 21x100, three-story tenement and store and six-story rear loft building; foreclosure, to the plaintiff, W. M. Reed, $18,000.

Grand St, 60, n s, 125 ft w of Wooster St, 25x100, seven-story loft and store building; foreclosure, to the plaintiff, Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., $35,000.

123d St, 304 East, s s, 80 ft e of 2d Av, 28.8x100.11, six-story tenement and stores; foreclosure, to the plaintiff, Adirondack Cottage Sanitarium, $27,500.

By D. P. Ingraham & Co.

9th St, 726 East, s s, 332.11 ft e of Avenue C, 24.11x93.11, five-story tenement and stores; foreclosure, to the plaintiff, R. Joseph, $23,000.

AT 3,208 3D AV.

By Joseph P. Day.

145th St, 320 East, s s, 100 ft e of College Av, 25x100, two-story dwelling; foreclosure, to Patrick Murphy, $4,475.

Davidson Av, 1,915, on Map 1,918, w s, 125 ft n of 177th St, 25x101.4x25.11x94.6, four-story dwelling; foreclosure, to the plaintiff, Oneida Savings Bank, $9,500.

Davidson Av, 1,917, w s, 150 ft n of 177th St, 25x101.4x irregular, four-story dwelling; foreclosure, to the plaintiff, S. M. Tibbits, $9,500.

Davidson Av, 1,919, w s, 175 ft n of 177th St, 25x99, four-story dwelling; foreclosure, to the plaintiff, H. R. Wood, $9,500.

Davidson Av, 1,921, w s, 200 ft n of 177th St, 45.2x102.7x18.3x99, four-story dwelling; foreclosure, to the plaintiff, H. R. Wood, $9,500.

Andrews Av, 2,236, e s, 223.11 ft s of Fordham Road, 25x100, two-story dwelling; foreclosure, to the plaintiff, Emma Biehn, $7,500.

By Henry Brady.

205th St, East, s s, 59.3 ft w of Perry Av, 59.3x78.10x50x110.7, vacant; foreclosure, to the plaintiff, W. B. K. Sammis, $2,000.

THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

List of Plans Filed for New Structures in Manhattan and the Bronx.

72d St, 303 to 307 West, for a twelve-story apartment, 60x84.2; A. Campagna Construction Co., 601 West 115th St, owner; G. Ajello, 1 West 34th St, architect; cost, $300,000.

Fort Washington Av, s w corner of 163d St, for a six-story apartment, 102.2x110; Riverside Viaduct Realty Co., 419 West 119th St, owner; S. Sass, 32 Union Square, architect; cost, $200,000.

Kingsbridge Road, e s, 272.79 ft s of 194th St, for four five-story brick tenements, 40.2x90.4, 38.2x82.4, and 37.10x71.9; William G. Oesting Co., 1,350 Fulton Av, owner; Harry T. Howell, 149th St and 3d Av, architect; cost, $120,000.

Virginia Av, w s, 140.10 ft s of Watson Av, for a two-and-a-half-story brick dwelling, 20.8x55.4; Halsall & Boyd, Virginia and Watson Av, owners; B. Ebeling, 1,407 Taylor Av, architect; cost, $5,500.

Alterations.

Items under $5,000 omitted.

5TH AV, n w corner of 35th St, to a six-story store and loft; Bell Realty Co., 374 5th Av, owner; Townsend, Steinle & Haskell, 1,328 Broadway, architects; cost, $5,000.

65th St, 120 and 122 West, to two five-story dwellings; Rellim Construction Co., 1,947 Broadway, owner; E. Benedict, 1,947 Broadway, architect; cost, $5,000.

2d Av, 472, to a three-story and basement dwelling; B. C. M. Johnson, Roselle Park, N. J., owner; A. Berres, 35 Nassau St, architect; cost, $6,000.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

FRIDAY, DEC. 27.

With name and address of purchaser and attorney. When attorney's name is omitted address party of the second part.

Manhattan.

BROADWAY, s e corner of 163d St, 99.11x100; Rosbert Realty Co to Elizabeth Hafner, 848 Central Park West, all liens, Dec. 27; attorneys, Stoddard & M., 128 Broadway.$100

BROOME ST, Lot 91, map of Abraham Cannon, Corlears Hook, 25.9x75; Bertha F. Reichert, individually and as executrix, and Richard Kelland to Margaret Kelland, 123 Lafayette Av, Brooklyn, Dec. 21; attorney, George V. Brower, 44 Court St, Brooklyn....$500

SAME PROPERTY; Bertha F. Reichert to same, quitclaim, Dec. 21; attorney, same...$1

CATHARINE ST, 65, e s, 14x79.8; William Lustgarten to Realty Redemption Co, 68 William St, Dec. 26....$100

CHRISTOPHER ST, 100 to 104, s s, 69.6x82.4x69x69.3; Jacob Kottek to Charles I. Weinstein Realty Co, 17 West 120th St, B & S, (mtg $17,000,) correction deed, March 7; attorney, Wilson M. Powell, 29 Wall St....$1

DUANE ST, 172-174, s s, 50x irregular; Edward S. Avery et al. to William O. Saxton, 118 West 57th St, Dec. 21; attorney, Title Guarantee Co., 176 Broadway....$91,000

FRONT ST, 3, s s, 33.3x80x36x80; John Bittner to Stock Quotation Telegraph Co., 26 Beaver St, (mtg $22,000 and all liens,) Dec. 23; attorney, Title Insurance Co., 135 Broadway..$100

HESTER ST, n s, 68.6 ft e of Ludlow St, 24x75; Agnes, wife of Pennington Whitehouse, to Charles Schimmer, 509 West 170th St, quitclaim, Dec. 23; attorney, Lawyers Title Insurance Co., 160 Broadway....$1

PRESCOTT AV, e s, 614.2 ft e of Bolton Road, runs e 207.10x s 141.4x w 151.9x s 160.7 to n s of Seaman Av x w 50x n 158.11 and 158.5 to Prospect Av and beginning; Ernest C. Hinck to Laura Bayles, 1,458 Dean St, Brooklyn, (mtg $25,000,) Dec. 27; attorney, George Finch, 31 Nassau St....$100

ST. NICHOLAS AV, w s, 51.9 ft s of 158th St, 77.8x82.7x74.10x61.11, (foreclosure, Dec. 26;) Thomas H. Baskerville to Emilie W. Reichow, widow, 215 West 116th St, Dec. 27; attorneys, Johnston & J., 256 Broadway. $10,000

27TH ST, 232 West, s s, 24.10x98.9; Edward A. Kohn to Ira L. Kohn, 253 West 95th St, (mtg $27,500 and all liens,) Dec. 20; attorney, Sumner B. Stiles, 15 Wall St....$1

56TH ST, 443 West, n s, 25x100.5; Lena Fishgal to Georgiana Reeves, 122 West 135th St, (mtg $17,000,) Dec. 24; attorney, M. J. Katz, 320 Broadway....$100

75TH ST, 237-239 East, n s, 53.4x101.7; Girolamo Meli to Antonino Caltabellotta, 311 East 39th St, Dec. 20; attorney, E. M. Vickers, 192 Bowery....$100

101ST ST, 327 West, n s, 20x100.11; Frederick R. Wickwire to Adeline Molyneaux, 454 Fort Washington Av, (mtg $18,000,) Dec. 23; attorney, Title Guarantee Co., 176 Broadway. $100

115TH ST, s s, 3,080 Lenox Av, 17x100.11; Rachel Freund and others to Basanio Construction Co, 198 Broadway, and M. Berney, 800 East 168th St, (mtg $16,000 and all liens,) Dec. 21; attorney, L. A. Jaffer, 320 Broadway....$1

116TH ST, 314 East, s s, 21x100.11; Charles E. Lydecker, referee, to John G. Coyle, 226 East 81st St, Dec. 26; attorney, Title Guarantee Co., 176 Broadway....$18,500

131ST ST, s s, 291.9 ft e of 5th Av, 18.3x99.11; Maria T. Higgins to John H. Buscall Co, 1,825 Anthony Av, Dec. 26; attorneys, Brewster & Farries, 165 Broadway....$100

141ST ST, 212 and 214 West, s s, 50x99.11; Millard Veit and others to South Bensonhurst Building Co, 215 Montague St, Brooklyn, (mtg $58,000 and all liens,) Dec. 21; attorneys, Van Alen & D., 215 Montague St, Brooklyn....$1

Bronx.

ANTHONY AV, w s, 67.9 n of 174th St, 22.7x78.5; Blune Rubinowitz to Legation Realty Corp., 320 Broadway, Dec. 26, (mtg $6,000;) attorney, M. J. Katz, 320 Broadway....$100

BATHGATE AV, 2,186, e s, 16x110.7; Frederick C. Hunter to William E. McReynolds, 109 West 88th St, Feb. 28, 1910, (mtg $4,000;) attorneys, McReynolds & W., 80 Maiden Lane....$100

FRANKLIN AV, 1,205, s e s, 17.9x83.6; Rebecca Forbes to Morris Wattenberg, 3,500 3d Av, quitclaim, Dec. 24....$100

SAME property; Morris Davidson to same, Dec. 24 (mtg $4,450)....$100

HOE AV, w s, 84 ft s of Alders St, 111x—; American Real Estate Co. to Mack Construction Co, 931 Southern Boulevard, Dec. 24; attorney, Max Stein, 64 Wall St....$100

LOT 463, map 1,670, Foster & Schmitt; John Whalen, trustee for creditors of Charles J. Schmitt to Joseph Zilli, 220 West 261st St, Dec. 24; attorney, Lawyers Title Insurance and Trust Company, 160 Broadway....$1,025

LOT 390, same map; same to William Wiese, 234 West 55th St....$3,000

LOTS 417 and 418, same map; same to Otto Wehrenberg, 550 West 153d St....$2,100

LOTS 425 and 426, same map; same to William L. Thompson, 45 Pinehurst Av....$1,700

LOTS 384 and 385, same map; same to William D. Grant, 540 West 122d St....$2,000

LOT 373, same map; same to Morris Lewkowitz, 24 East 120th St....$1,000

LOTS 391 and 392, same map; same to Ernest McNeill, 611 West 118th St....$5,800

LOT 386, same map; same to William Kaestle, 376 Himrod St, Brooklyn....$1,100

LOT 462, same map; same to Margery Pugh, 133 East 50th St....$775

LOT 389, same map; same to Edward F. Jackman, 1,468 51st St., Brooklyn....$4,700

LOTS 400 and 401, same map; same to Bertha Tzschentschler, 175 6th Av....$3,300

LOTS 456 and 457, same map; same to Emile Brunel, 285 West 261st St....$1,700

LOT 434, same map; same to Anthony B. Cavanagh, 257 West 128th St....$800

LOTS 429 and 430, same map; same to Emile and Eugene Philipp, 506 Amsterdam Av.$1,800

LOT 436, same map; same to Grant F. Chase, 319 West 57th St....$900

LOT 402, same map; same to Lena Clark, 109 West 129th St....$1,125

LOT 360, same map; same to Michael G. Byrne, 444 West 50th St....$1,600

LOTS 397 to 399, same map; same to Fidello S. Carter, Mound City, Ill....$6,100

LOTS 447 and 448, same map; same to John G. Beck, 6,009 Broadway....$1,500

LOT 446, same map; same to E. O. and A. M. F. Krings, 50 Myrtle Av, Brooklyn...$825

LOT 374, same map; same to Albert E. C. Fuchs, 608 St. Nicholas Av....$950

LOT 435, same map; same to Michael A. Cavanagh, 257 West 128th St....$800

LOTS 408 to 411, same map; same to John F. Cavanagh, 1,140 St. Lawrence Av...$3,600

LOTS 375 to 380, same map; same to Edith T. Bates, 71 West 11th St....$4,600

LOT 896, same map; same to Francis R. Cox, 898 St. John's Place, Brooklyn....$6,100

LOT 395, same map; same to Sadie Sanders, 981 Tiffany St....$3,300

LOT 383, same map; same to David H. Rosenberg, 1,565 1st Av....$500

LOTS 437 to 440, same map; same to George W. Simmons, 1,061 St. Nicholas Av....$6,000

LOTS 358 and 359, same map; same to David H. Rosenberg, 1,563 1st Av....$2,550

LOTS 420 to 424, same map; same to Andrea Scalvini, 445 West 153d St, Dec. 24; attorney, same....$4,750

LOTS 454 and 455, same map; same to George Stein, Jr., 989 East 167th St, Dec. 24; attorney, same....$1,650

LOTS 427 and 428, same map; same to William L. Thompson, 45 Pinehurst Av, Dec. 24; attorney, same....$1,700

LOTS 381 and 382, same map; same to David H. Rosenberg and another, 1,565 1st Av, Dec. 13; attorney, same....$1,050

LOT 160, map of Morrisania, 45x100.6; John H. Buscall Co. to Maria T. Higgins, 2,088 Madison Av, Dec. 26, (mtg $28,000;) attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway. $100

LOTS 10 and 11, Block 3, map Sheridan and Segrave; James S. Segrave to Thomas W. O'Keefe, Philadelphia, Penn., Dec. 26; attorney, Seybel & F., 41 Park Row....$1

SAME PROPERTY; Thomas W. O'Keefe to James S. Segrave, 713 Eagle Av, Dec. 24; attorney, Seybel & F., 41 Park Row....$1

LOTS 239-240, map 329, lots of Schieffelin Estate; Benjamin G. Hebe to Louis Sauder, 3,135 Broadway, Dec. 17, (mtg $4,450;) attorney, F. C. Hirleman, 391 East 149th St..$1

LOTS 129-130, map of Van Nest Park; Vito Vallentine to Giuseppe Pugliese, 1,608 Van Buren St, Nov. 7; attorney, Charles H. Baechler, 1126 Walker Av....$100

MORRIS AV, e s, 115.9 w of 183d St, 18.9x117.6; Robert F. Wagner, Referee, to Augusta Duer et al., 107 East 64th St.; Dec. 27; attorney, W. H. Hagen, 49 Wall St....$8,000

ROGERS PLACE, e s, 642.4 ft n of Westchester Av, 30x78.11; Fanny R. Ross to Jacob O. Pedersen, 829 Freeman St, Dec. 26; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway....$100

STEBBINS AV, 1,302, e s, 25x110; Eva Hackel to Frank Baumann, 1,302 Stebbins Av, (mtg $14,000,) Nov. 2, 1911; attorneys, Hildreth & P., 3d Av, and 148th St....$100

SOUTH ½ lot 193, map Unionport, 100x108, Anna T. Hoffmann to Roman Catholic Church of the Holy Family, 1,071 Castle Hill Av, Dec. 27, (mtg $5,000;) attorney, M. J. Scanlan, 51 Chambers St....$100

SOUTHERN BOULEVARD, 347-9, n s, 400x100; Herbert L. Griggs and ano., Trustees, to Bernhard Seymann, 1,232 45th St, Brooklyn Dec. 26; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway....$1

SOUTHERN BOULEVARD, n s, 231.6 ft e of Alexander Av, 80x100; Same to same, Dec. 26; attorney, same....$1

134TH St, 340-2 East, 42x200; Herbert L. Griggs and ano., Trustees, to Bernhard Seymann, 1,232 45th St, Brooklyn, Dec. 20; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway....$1

WASHINGTON AV, w s, 1888 West 188th St, 50x110; Joseph F. Sanford to Laura M. Nelson, 2,164 Washington Av, quitclaim, Nov. 26; attorney, Lawyers' Title Insurance & Trust Company, 160 Broadway....$1

SAME property; Florence Powell to same, quitclaim, Dec. 2; attorney, same....$1

SAME property; Stephen C. Powell et al., to same, quitclaim, Dec. 4; attorney, same...$1

SAME property; Walter E. Sanford to same, quitclaim, Nov. 29; attorney, same....$1

169TH ST, s w s, 63.5 n w of Fox St, 30x—; Mason Construction Co. to 152d St. Construction Co., 661 Tinton Av, Dec. 24, (mtg $2,200;) attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway....$100

RECORDED MORTGAGES.

With name and address of lender and lender's attorney. Interest is at 5 per cent. unless otherwise specified.

Manhattan.

BAXTER ST, 125-127, 100x —; Otto Lorence and another to Susan R. Kendall et al., 10 West 55th St, Dec. 26, 5 years; attorneys, Merrill & R., 100 Broadway....$10,000

BOND ST, s s, Lot 16, of William Israel, 25x114.4; Leon Tanenbaum to Wilhelmina Kellner, 5,713 Michigan Av, Chicago, Ill., prior mtg $40,000, Dec. 24, due as per bond; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway....$24,000

CHRISTOPHER ST, 102, s s, 69.6x82.4, Charles J. Weinstein Realty Co, to Amos W. Wright et al., trustees, London, England, Dec. 27, 5 years; attorney, W. M. Powell, 29 Wall St....$63,000

DUANE ST, 172 and 174, s s, 50x irregular; William O. Saxton to Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway, Dec. 26, due as per bond; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway....$80,000

FRANKFORT ST, n w corner of Rose St, 26.11x46.4; John V. Black to Catharine Paris, Charlestown, N. H., Dec. 27, 3 years; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway....$25,000

HOUSTON ST, 288-290 East, 40.5x80; Samuel Boris to New York Savings Bank, 81 8th Av, Dec. 27, due as per bond; attorneys, Webber & W., 7 Beekman St....$42,000

LOT 91, map of land of Abraham Cannon, 25.9x75; Margaret Kelland to Elsworth Realty Co., 44 Court St, Brooklyn, Dec. 26, 3 years; attorney, George N. Brower, 44 Court St, Brooklyn....$4,000

PLEASANT AV, 367 and 369, w s, 40x75; Gherardo Ferrante to Robert W. Cooper, 438 Gates Av, Brooklyn, 3 years; attorney, Lawyers Title Insurance and Trust Co., 160 Broadway....$5,000

UNIVERSITY PLACE, 72, n s, 28x98.2; Isabella B. Jones to Fanny G. Van Wyck, 107 Joralemon St, Brooklyn, Dec. 27, 5 years; attorneys, Lyon & S., 46 Cedar St....$2,000

5TH AV, n e corner of 60th St, 100.5x225; Charles Lanier and others, trustees of Metropolitan Club, to Helvetia Realty Co., New Rochelle, N. Y., (mtg $900,000,) Dec. 23, 3 years, 4½ p. c.; attorneys, De Witt, L. & De W., 88 Nassau St....$25,000

5TH ST, n s, 230 ft e of Cooper Square, 25x97; Albert L. Adams to Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway, Dec. 27, due as per bond, $16,000

7TH AV, s w corner of 115th St, 100.11x100; Oak Construction Co. to Estate Sender Jarmulowsky, 54 Canal St, Dec. 26, prior mtg $98,000, 1 year, 6 p. c.; attorney, Morris Clark, 165 East Broadway....$85,000

17TH ST, 240 and 242 West, s s, 35x84; Thomas Hinton to John Sonn, 570 2d Av, Dec. 26, due, &c, as per bond; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway....$2,000

26TH ST, 506 West, s s, 25x48.9; Griffin Roofing Co. to William W. Johnson, 612 South Broadway, Yonkers, Dec. 26, 3 years; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway....$11,000

SAME PROPERTY; same to Mary E. Rooney, 562 West 113th St, prior mtg $11,000, Dec. 26, 3 years, 6 p. c.; attorney, same....$2,500

27TH ST, 232 West, 24.10x98.9; Ira L. Kohn to Edward A. Kohn, 51 West 81st St, Dec. 23, prior mtg $27,500, 3 years, 6 p. c.; attorney, S. B. Stiles, 15 Wall St....$20,000

47TH ST, 21 East, 16.6x100.5; Margaret E. McCormick to Bowery Savings Bank, 128 Bowery, Dec. 27, prior mtg $45,000, 5 years, 4½ p. c.; attorney, Title Insurance Co., 135 Broadway....$5,000

56TH ST, n s, 200 ft e of 10th Av, 25x100.5; Georgiana Reeves to Lena Fishgal, 33 Moore St, Brooklyn, Dec. 24, 3 years, 6 p. c.; attorney, M. J. Katz, 320 Broadway....$3,500

105TH ST, 312 West, 20x100.11; Ella P. de Cordova to St. Mary's Free Hospital for Children, 405 West 34th St, Dec. 19, prior mtg $9,000, due as per bond; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway.$6,000

116TH ST, 314 East, s s, 21x100.11; John G. Coyle to Samuel Frankenheim, 54 Cathedral Parkway, Dec. 26, 5 years; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway....$12,000

141ST ST, 212-214 West, 50x99.11; South Bensonhurst Building Co. to Valentine Gumprecht, 230 West 97th St, prior mtg $58,000, Dec. 27, due July 15, 1915, 6 p. c.; attorneys, Finnan, L. & S., 55 Liberty St....$3,500

145TH ST, s s, 52.9 ft w of Edgecombe Av, 32.5x—; Glover Construction Co. to Lucy D. Dahlgren, 103 Madison Av, Dec. 26, due as per bond; attorney, Lawyers Title Insurance and Trust Co., 160 Broadway....$20,000

Bronx.

AVENUE C, w s, extends from 8th to 9th Sts, 216x205, Unionport, south half of Lot 193, map of Unionport; Roman Catholic Church of the Holy Family to Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank, 51 Chambers St, Dec. 27, 5 years, 4½ p. c.; attorney, M. J. Scanlon, 51 Chambers St....$32,000

BOYNTON AV, n e corner of Westchester Av, 95.11x—; American Real Estate Co. to McVickar-Gaillard Realty Co., 42 Broadway, Dec. 27, 3 years; attorneys, Merrill & R., 100 Broadway....$33,000

GRANT AV, 1,056, e s, 25x101.7; Johanna R. Ernst to Bertha Buschatzke, North Beach, N. Y., Feb. 15, prior mtg $7,500, 2 years, 6 p. c.; attorney, Edward Herrmann, 261 Broadway....$1,500

HOE AV, w s, 84 ft s of Aldus Av, 42x—; Mack Construction Co to City Mortgage Co, 15 Wall St, Dec. 26, demand, 6 p. c.; attorney, F. A. Snow, 15 Wall St....$55,000

SAME PROPERTY; same to American Real Estate Co, 527 5th Av, prior mtg $55,000, 3 years 6 p. c., Dec. 24; attorney, J. C. Meyers, 527 5th Av....$6,000

HOE AV, w s, 126 ft s of Aldus St, 42x150; same to City Mortgage Co., 15 Wall St, Dec. 26, demand, 6 p. c.; attorney, F. A. Snow, 15 Wall St....$35,000

SAME PROPERTY; same to American Real Estate Co., 527 5th Av, prior mtg $35,000, 3 years, 6 p. c., Dec. 24; attorney, J. C. Meyers, 527 5th Av....$6,000

LINCOLN AV, w s, 50 ft s of 134th St, 50x100; Patrick Goodman to Mary McAdam, 344 East 58th St, Dec. 27, 3 years; attorneys, Foley & Martin, 64 Wall St....$10,000

LOT 383, map 463 lots, F. P. and H. A. Foster and others, No. 1,670; David H. Rosenberg to John Whalen, trustee, 458 West 155th St, Dec. 24, 3 years; attorney, Lawyers Title Insurance and Trust Co., 160 Broadway...$350

LOTS 408 to 411, same map; John F. Cavanagh to same, Dec. 24, 3 years; attorney, same, $1,500

LOT 360, same map; Michael G. Byrne to same, Dec. 24, 3 years; attorney, same.$1,120

LOTS 427 and 428, same map; William L. Thompson to same, Dec. 24, 3 years; attorney, same....$1,190

LOTS 437 to 440, same map; George W. Simmons to same, Dec. 24, 3 years; attorney, same....$4,200

LOT 436, same map; Grant F. Chase to same, Dec. 24, 3 years; attorney, same....$630

LOT 435, same map; Michael A. Cavanagh to same, Dec. 24, 3 years; attorney, same..$560

LOT 446, same map; Eugene O. Krings to same, Dec. 24, 3 years; attorney, same..$500

LOT 389, same map; Edward F. Jackman to same, Dec. 24, 3 years; attorney, same.$3,200

LOTS 397, 398, and 399, same map; Fidello S. Carter to same, Dec. 24, 3 years; attorney, same....$4,270

LOTS 447 and 448, same map; John G. Beck to same, Dec. 24, 3 years; attorney, same...$750

LOTS 456 and 457, same map; Emile Brunel to same, Dec. 24, 1 year, attorney, same....$700

LOT 402, same map; Lena Clark to same, Dec. 24, 3 years; attorney, same....$775

LOTS 425 and 426, same map; William L. Thompson to same, Dec. 24, 3 years; attorney, same....$1,190

LOT 395, same map; Sadie Sanders to same, Dec. 24, 2 years; attorney, same....$2,000

LOTS 420 to 424, same map; Andrea Scalvini to same, Dec. 24, 3 years; attorney, same. $3,000

LOT 434, same map; Anthony B. Cavanagh to same, Dec. 24, 3 years; attorney, same....$560

LOTS 384 and 385, same map; William D. Grant to same, Dec. 24, 3 years; attorney, same....$5,670

LOT 386, same map; William Kaestle to same, Dec. 24, 3 years; attorney, same....$770

LOTS 429 and 430, same map; Emil Philipp to same, Dec. 24, 3 years; attorney, same...$1,250

LOTS 391 and 392, same map; Ernest McNeill to same, Dec. 18, 3 years; attorney same....$3,800

LOTS 358 and 359, same map; David H. Rosenberg to same, Dec. 18, 3 years; attorney same....$1,775

LOTS 381 and 382, same map; David H. Rosenberg to John Whalen, W. 155th St, 3 years; attorney same....$735

LOT 160, Map Morrisania, 45x100.6; Maria T. Higgins to John H. Buscall Co, 1,825 Anthony Av, due as per bond, Dec. 26; attorneys, Brewster & F., 165 Broadway....$5,000

LOT 103, Map Unionport; Simeon Winterbottom to Helena Schwartz, College Point, L. I., Dec. 27, due Dec. 1, 1915; attorney, L. Morgan, 104 West 42d St....$350

PROSPECT AV, n w corner of 169th St, 70.3x79.11; Freeminstreet Co., Inc., to City Mortgage Co., 15 Wall St, Dec. 26, demand, 6 p. c.; attorney, F. A. Snow, 15 Wall St.$65,000

PROSPECT AV, w s, w corner of Freeman St, 75.4x79.11; same to same, Dec. 26, demand, 6 p. c.; attorney same....$65,000

PROSPECT AV, w s, 75.4 ft s of Freeman St, 100x79.11; same to same, demand, 6 p. c.; Dec. 26; two mtgs, each $40,000; attorney same....$40,000

ROGERS PLACE, e s or s e s, 642.4 ft n from n w s of Westchester Av, 30x78.11x23.1x81.8; Jacob O. Pedersen to Fanny R. Ross, 968 Rogers Place, Dec. 22, 1 year; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co, 176 Broadway.$2,000

SOUTHERN BOULEVARD, or 133d St, 355 to 359 East, n s, 60x100; Bernhard Seymann to Katherine L. Barbour, 130 East 67th St, Dec. 26, due, &c., as per bond; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co, 176 Broadway.$18,000

SAME PROPERTY; same to William Goldstein, 2 West 89th St, prior mtg $18,000, Dec. 26, 1 year, 6 p. c.; attorney, same....$1,000

SOUTHERN BOULEVARD, 347 and 349, n s, 40x100; same to Alice Cleaveland, 96 St. James Place, Brooklyn, Dec. 21, due Jan. 1, 1917; attorney, same....$12,000

133D ST, n s, 231.6 ft e of Alexander Av, 20x100; Bernhard Leymann to Sarah D. Thomson, East Orange, N. J., Dec. 26, 3 years; attorney, Lawyers Title Insurance and Trust Co., 160 Broadway....$6,000

134TH ST, 340 and 342 East, s s, 42x100; Bernhard Seymann to William Goldstein, 2 West 89th St, prior mtg $13,000, Dec. 26, 1 year, 6 p. c.; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co, 176 Broadway....$750

134TH ST, 340 and 342 East, s s, two lots, each 21x100, two mtgs, each $6,500; Bernhard Seymann to Solomon S. Marx, 301 West 108th St, Dec. 26, due as per bond; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co, 176 Broadway.$13,000

137TH ST, n s, 240.8 ft e of Southern Boulevard, 50x100; Columbia Wax Products Co to Emma M. Levy, 57 West 75th St, Dec. 26, 5 years, 5½ p. c.; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co, 176 Broadway....$20,000

RECORDED LEASES.

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AMSTERDAM AV, n e corner 163d St, store, &c; Jacob Ruppert Corporation to Siegfried Appel, 2,087 Amsterdam Av, 4 4-12 years from Dec. 12, 1912; attorneys, Fitch, M. & G., 32 Nassau St....$2,100

AV A, s e corner 14th St, store and basement; Salvatore Catalano to Jacob S. Ganeless, 224 Av A, 5 years from Jan. 1, 1911....$1,820

LUDLOW ST, 75, building; George Hassler to Philip Wolff, 19 Lewis Av, Brooklyn, 10 years from July 1, 1911; attorney, N. Tolk, 58 Essex St....$3,400

UNION AV, 844, part basement; Adam A. Koenig to Pasquale Tedesco and another, 851 Tinton Av, 10 years from March 1, 1912..$36

WEST END AV, 114, building; Louis Richard to Adolph Schwartz, 197 Amsterdam Av, 3 years from Jan. 1, 1913; attorney, Henry Swartz, 220 Broadway....$2,100

106TH ST, 312 and 312½ East, all; Rubin Schlegman to Salvatore Vennagallo and another, 380 East 106th St, 5 years from Jan. 1, 1913; attorneys, Cuozzo & Co., 150 Nassau St.. $3,600

MECHANICS' LIENS.

BARROW ST, 69; Harlem River Iron Works against Samto De Demenico, owner; Rasorio Tricomi, contractor....$77

ST. NICHOLAS AV, s e corner of 171st St, 20x100; Louis Odes against Ehler J. Ernst, owner and contractor....$78

52D ST, 443 East; Samuel Baxter against S. Mendelsohn & Co., owner; Morris Lebowitz, contractor....$1,625

81ST ST, 203 to 211 West; Weisberg-Baer Co. against S. B. Construction Co., owner and contractor; Samuel Barker, contractor..$5,123

96TH ST, 734 West; American Luxfer Prism Co. against Abraham Goldberg, owner; John H. Scheler, contractor....$250

100TH ST, 312 to 316 West; Max Dick against Chateau Realty Co., owner; Rose C. Duross, contractor....$99

184TH ST, s s, 250 ft e of St. Ann's Av, 50x75; Senft Contracting Co. against Paul Quandt and Karl Faerber, owners; Vernon Construction Co., contractor....$344

216TH ST, n s, 175 ft w of Laconia Av, 25x100; Harry Applebaum against Maria P. Dalo, owner; Angelo Geraci, contractor....$400

SATISFIED MECHANICS' LIENS.

BROOME ST, 15; Max Barth against Philip Kolland and others, April 24, 1911....$1,250

ELIZABETH ST, 241 to 245; Joseph Schwartz against William Rosenbaum and others, Sept. 30, 1910....$2,900

HOUSTON ST, 264 East; Spergel & Bindler against Hamilton Fish Corporation and others, Dec. 3, 1912....$3,298

4TH ST, 281 West; Edmondo Giambastiani against Michael Normoyle and others, Oct. 16, 1912, (canceled)....$41

84TH ST, 11 West; Max Blochner and others against R. S. S. Co. and others, July 26, 1912....$80

138TH ST, s s, 450 ft e of Lenox Av; William T. Matheis against Johnson Amusement Co., July 30, 1912, (canceled)....$1,545

SAME PROPERTY; Killian Crea Co. against same, Sept. 3, 1912, (canceled)....$255

147TH ST, 514 and 516 West; Patrick Reddy against United Electric Light and Power Co. and others, July 24, 1912....$5,842

LIS PENDENS.

ANTHONY AV, e s, 178.10 ft s of 178th St, 98.11x104.5; E. J. Moloughney against Associate Contractors and Builders, Inc., and others, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, A. M. Clute.

LAWRENCE ST, s s, 158.7 ft w of 126th St, 78x32.1x irregular; David D. A. Outcalt against Mary A. Williams and others, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorneys, Cannon & Cannon.

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The children who profit by the Surrogate's decision are Albert C. Bostwick, Jr., born April 1, 1901; Lillian S. Bostwick, born July 9, 1906; Dunbar W. Bostwick, born Jan. 10, 1908, and George H. Bostwick, born Aug. 14, 1909.

In the Bostwick suit it was contended that the four children born after the will was made, were provided for under the terms of the will of Jabez A. Bostwick, their grandfather, who set aside one-third of his estate as a trust fund, for his son, the Commodore, with the condition that on his death it should go to his children in equal shares, or their issue.

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Notice is hereby given that the Broadway Auto Accessories Store, Inc., a domestic corporation having its principal business office in the Borough of Manhattan, City, County, and State of New York, will apply to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term, Part I. thereof, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 6th day of January, 1913, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for an order authorizing said corporation to change its corporate name to the Whittemore-Sim Company, Incorporated.

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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned, Belt Line Railway Corporation, has made application to the Public Service Commission for the First District for the approval by said Commission of the issue by said company of $2,200,000 face value first mortgage forty-year five per cent. gold bonds and of $200,000 par value of capital stock, and that said application will be heard by and before the Commission at its office, Number 154 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 30th day of December, 1912, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon.

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CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES.
Sundays, 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Wednesdays, 8 P. M.:
First Church, Central Park West and 96th St.
Second Church, Central Park West and 68th St.
Third Church, 125th St. and Madison Av.
Fourth Church, 600 West 181st St.
Fifth Church, Madison Av. and 38th St.
Sixth Church, Park Av. and 61st St.

Congregational.

BROADWAY TABERNACLE,
Broadway and 56th St.
Rev. CHARLES E. JEFFERSON, D.D., Pastor.
Rev. CHARLES R. BROWN, D. D., Dean of Yale Divinity School, preaches at
11 A. M.—"The Highest Form of Sacrifice."
8 P. M.—"The Man Who Is Ready."
WATCH NIGHT SERVICE.
Y. P. S. C. E. Meeting............8 to 9
Men's League.......................9 to 10
Social Half Hour..................10 to 10:30
Organ Recital.....................10:30 to 11
Public Worship with sermon........11 to 12

Disciples of Christ (Christian.)

CENTRAL CHURCH, 142 West 81st St.
Rev. JAMES M. PHILPUTT, D. D., Pastor.
11 A. M.—"Helps in Finding God."
8 P. M.—Sermon for close of the year.

Ethical Culture.

THE SOCIETY FOR ETHICAL CULTURE,
Founded 1876.
Meeting House, Central Park West and 64th St.
CHILDREN'S SUNDAY.
11 A. M., Dr. JOHN L. ELLIOTT, Speaker.
Subject:—"WHEN DREAMS COME TRUE."
The Public Is Welcome.

Jewish.

FREE SYNAGOGUE,
CARNEGIE HALL, SUNDAY AT 11,
DR. WISE: "A NEW YEAR'S VISION OF A NEW CITY."
ALL ARE WELCOME.

TEMPLE BETH-EL,
FIFTH AV. AND 76TH STREET.
REV. DR. SAMUEL SCHULMAN,
SUNDAY MORNING AT ELEVEN,
"WHAT TO DO."

TEMPLE EMANU-EL,
5th Av. and 43d St.
Saturday, 10:30 A. M., Sermon by Dr. Silverman, "Spirituality." Sunday, 11:15 A. M., Sermon by Dr. Enelow, "Has the Messiah Come?" All welcome.

Lutheran.

CHURCH OF THE ADVENT. | Broadway and 93d St. Wm. M. Horn, Pastor. Services 11 A. M., 8 P. M.

ST. JAMES' LUTHERAN CHURCH, Madison Av., 73d.—Dr. Remensnyder.—Services 11 & 8.

Methodist Episcopal.

BEDFORD STREET, corner Morton, 10:45 A. M. and 7:45 P. M. Rev. GEORGE W. DOWNS, Pastor. Welcome!

MADISON AVE. M. E. CHURCH,
Corner 60th Street.
Rev. Wallace MacMullen, D. D., Pastor.
11 A. M.—Preaching by the pastor: "Rest and Courage." 8 P. M.—"The Doom of Choice." Watch Night Service, Tuesday, Dec. 31, at 11 o'clock. No Wednesday evening service.

ST. ANDREW'S M. E. CHURCH,
Seventy-sixth Street, West of Columbus Av.
WALLACE HAROLD FINCH, Minister.
11 A. M., "HEART WEARINESS IN THE JOURNEY." 8 P. M., "NEWNESS FOR THE NEW YEAR." Watch-night service New Year's Eve.

ST. PAUL'S METHODIST CHURCH,
West End Av. and 86th St.
11 A. M.—President Melancthon Stryker.
8 P. M.—Rev. F. Ernest Johnson preaches on "Following the Star."
Selections from Sacred Cantata "Bethlehem" by the choir, assisted by violin, 'cello, and organ.

UNION M. E. CHURCH, 48th St., west of Broadway—J. Lewis Hartsock. 11 A. M., "Complete in Him." 8 P. M., Musical Service. Tuesday, Watch Night Services. 8:30-10, Reception. 10 P. M., Dr. Hartsock will preach.

New Thought.

FIRST CHURCH OF THE HEALING CHRIST, DURYEA'S ACADEMY, 47 WEST 72D ST.
Subject, "Dragging Anchors."
Service, 11 A. M. Speaker, W. John Murray.

MARY ETHERIDGE CHAPIN,
Berkeley Theatre, West 44th St., near 5th Av.
Sundays, 11 A. M.
"A WORLD OF PROMISE."

NEW THOUGHT CHURCH,
New Aeolian Hall, 32 West 43d St.
Sunday, 11 A. M., F. W. Sears, Speaker.
Subject: "The Unseen Power."
Free Seats. Music. You are welcome.

NEW THOUGHT LECTURES, 5 West 58th St.
Sunday, 11 A. M.; Thursday, 8 P. M.
Speaker, W. ELLIS WILLIAMS. Public invited.

SOCIETY OF SILENT UNITY.
Noon Silence daily, (except Sunday,) at 305 Madison Av. Sunday, 8 P. M., Mrs. Van Marter speaks on "Old Things Have Passed Away and All Things Become New."

VILLA FAULKNER PAGE.
Sundays, 3:30. Professional Women's League, 1,999 Broadway. Subject, Dec. 28, "A WISE FORGETFULNESS." Good music. Public invited.

Presbyterian.

BROADWAY
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,
114th St. and Broadway.
Rev. WALTER D. BUCHANAN, D. D., Minister, Preaches at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.

CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,
WEST 57TH ST., NEAR BROADWAY.
Rev. WILTON MERLE-SMITH, D. D., Pastor, preaches at 11 A. M.
REV. JAMES B. COCHRAN at 8 P. M.
9:45 A. M.—Young Men's Bible Study Club.
3 P. M.—Sabbath School.
ALL WELCOME.

FIFTH AVENUE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,
Fifth Avenue and Fifty-fifth Street.
Pastor,
REV. J. H. JOWETT, M. A., D. D.
REV. CHAUNCEY W. GOODRICH
will preach at both services.
Morning service at 11 o'clock.
All sittings free at 11 o'clock.
Afternoon service at 4:30.
All sittings free at 4:25.
The Mid-week service on Wednesday evening will be omitted this week.

FOURTH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,
West End Av. and 91st St.
EDGAR WHITAKER WORK, D. D., Pastor.
Dr. Work preaches morning and evening.

MADISON AV. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,
Northeast corner of 73d St.
Rev. HENRY SLOANE COFFIN, D. D., Pastor,
will preach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.

MADISON SQ. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,
Madison Av. and 24th St.,
Rev. C. H. PARKHURST, D. D., Pastor.
Rev. G. R. MONTGOMERY, Ph. D.,
Assistant Minister.
The Pastor will preach at 11 A. M., 8 P. M.

OLD FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,
5th Av., 11th to 12th St.
Rev. Dr. HOWARD DUFFIELD, Pastor.
11 A. M.—"THE AIM OF LIFE."
8 P. M.—"THE LENGTH OF LIFE."

Presbyterian.

NORTH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,
155th St., bet. Broadway and Amsterdam Av.
REV. JOHN R. MACKAY, PH. D., D. D., MINISTER.
11 A. M.—"Looking Backward."
8 P. M.—"The Messiah," sung by a large chorus.
Soloists: Miss Mildred Potter, Miss Violet Dalziel, Mr. Paul Althouse, Mr. Gilbert Wilson. Conductor, Chas. N. Granville.

RUTGERS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,
Broadway and 73d Street.
Preaching at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. by the Rev. GEORGE F. PENTECOST, D. D.

THE BRICK CHURCH,
Fifth Avenue and Thirty-seventh Street.
Ministers. { William Pierson Merrill. Frank Latimer Janeway.
Dr. Merrill will preach at eleven o'clock and at four.
ALL VISITORS ARE WELCOME.
Bible School and Classes, 9:45 A. M.
Preparatory Service, Tuesday, 8 P. M.
Noon Service every weekday, except New Year Day, 12:30 to 12:50.

THE UNION THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY.—Service in the Chapel, Claremont Avenue, between 120th and 122d Streets, at 11 o'clock. Preacher, the Reverend President ALBERT PARKER FITCH, D. D., of Andover Theological Seminary. The attendance of all not regularly worshipping elsewhere is cordially invited.

UNIVERSITY PLACE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,
Cor. of 10th St. (one block west from Broadway). George Alexander, D. D., pastor. Public worship to-morrow at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. At the morning service the pastor will preach. At the evening service Rev. O. Clyde Weist will preach. The weekly prayer meeting will be held in the chapel New Year's Eve at 8 o'clock.

WEST END CHURCH,
Amsterdam Av., corner 105th St.
Rev. A. Edwin Keigwin, D. D., pastor.
Rev. Joseph W. Cochran, D. D., of Phila., will preach, 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.

WEST-PARK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,
86th St. and Amsterdam Av.
Rev. ANSON P. ATTERBURY, D. D., } Pastors.
Rev. ANTHONY H. EVANS, D. D.,
Dr. ATTERBURY preaches at 11 A. M.
Dr. EVANS at 8 P. M.

PREACHING SERVICES AT THE
NEW CHURCH HOUSE, 603 W. 178TH ST.
REV. WILLIAM F. CARTER, D. D.,
WILL PREACH AT 11 A. M. AND 8 P. M.

Protestant Episcopal.

CATHEDRAL OF ST. JOHN THE DIVINE,
Amsterdam Av. and 111th St.
SUNDAY, Dec. 29.
8 A. M.—Holy Communion.
10 A. M.—Holy Communion.
11 A. M.—Preacher, Canon Douglas.
4 P. M.—Preacher, Rev. Geo. Alex. Strong.
4:30 P. M.—Choral service daily except Monday and Saturday.

ALL ANGELS' CHURCH, West End Av. and 81st, Rev. S. De Lancey Townsend, D. D., Rector.—Holy Communion, 8 A. M.; morning prayers and sermon by rector, 11 A. M.; Choral Evensong, 4 P. M. Strangers Welcome.

ALL SOULS' (Anthon Memorial,) St. Nicholas Av., 114th St.—Rev. G. STARKWEATHER PRATT, Rector. Services, 8, 11, and 8.

CALVARY CHURCH,
4th Av. and 21st St.
The Rev. THEODORE SEDGWICK, Rector. Holy Communion, 8, 10:15; Morning Prayer and Sermon, 11. ORGAN RECITAL, by JOHN CUSHING, 7:30. Evening Service, 8. CHRISTMAS MUSIC REPEATED.

CHRIST CHURCH, Broadway and 71st St., Rev. G. A. Strong, rector. 8 A. M., 11 A. M., rector. 8 P. M., special musical service, anthems and carols.

CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION,
Fifth Av. and 10th St.
Rev. Dr. PERCY STICKNEY GRANT, Rector.
11 A. M.—Morning Service and Sermon, Dr. Grant. Subject: "The Gains of a Year."
4 P. M.—"The Messiah," by Handel.
8 P. M.—Public Forum, Inc., Speaker, Mrs. Ida Husted Harper. Subject, "Votes for Women."
9 P. M.—Discussion, Parish House, 12 West 11th Street.
10:30 P. M.—New Year's Eve. Instrumental and Vocal Recital.
11:15 P. M.—Service and Sermon, Dr. Grant.

CHURCH OF THE HEAVENLY REST,
551 5th Av. Rev. Herbert Shipman, Rector, Services, 8, 11 A. M., 4 P. M.

CHURCH OF THE HOLY COMMUNION,
20th St. and 6th Av.
REV. HENRY MOTTET, D. D.
8:00 A. M.—Holy Communion.
11:00 A. M.—Service and Sermon (Rector.)
12:00 M.—Holy Communion.
3:00 P. M.—Children's Services.
8:15 P. M.—French Service.
8:00 P. M.—Service and Sermon.
NEW YEAR'S EVE., (TUESDAY.)
11:30 P. M.—Watch Service, followed by Holy Communion at Midnight.
NEW YEAR'S DAY.
11 A. M.—Service, Sermon (Rector.)
Holy Communion, full choir.

CHURCH OF ST. MARY THE VIRGIN,
139 West 46th St., Rev. J. G. H. BARRY, D. D., Rector.—Low masses, 7:30, 8:15, 9; solemn mass, procession, and sermon, (Rector,) 10:45; vespers, procession, and carols at 4.
NEW YEAR'S DAY: First Vespers, (Dec. 31,) 5. Low masses, 7, 7:30, 8, and 9:30. Solemn mass 10:45; Second Vespers at 5.

CHURCH OF THE INCARNATION,
MADISON AVE. AND 35TH STREET.
REV. H. C. ROBBINS, RECTOR.
Holy Communion..........................8 A. M.
Morning Prayer, Sermon, (Rector)....11 A. M.
Children's Old Carol Service...........4 P. M.

CHURCH of the TRANSFIGURATION, 1 E. 29
GEORGE CLARKE HOUGHTON, Rector.
Communions, 7, 8, 9 o'clock. MOZART'S MASS (orchestra) and SERMON, (Rector,) 10:30. CHORAL EVENSONG, 4 o'clock. SERMON AND CAROLS, 8 P. M. CHURCH IS OPEN ALL DAY, EVERY DAY. SERVICES DAILY, 7 and 9 A. M. and 5 P. M.

CHURCH OF ZION AND ST. TIMOTHY,
334 West 57th St.
Rector, Rev. Henry Lubeck, D. C. L.
Holy communion..........................8 A. M.
Morning prayer, preacher the rector....11 A. M.
Carol service...............................8 P. M.

EGLISE DU SAINT-ESPRIT, 45 EST 27e Rue.—Services divins: 10:30 et 8 h. Rev. A. V. Wittmeyer, Recteur.

GRACE CHURCH, Broadway and 10th St.
Dr. SLATTERY, Rector, 8; 11 (Rector); 4 (Children's Service); 8 (Rector).

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, Lenox Avenue and 122d St. H. P. Nichols, D. D., rector. 8, 11 A. M., rector. 8 P. M., Rev. Mr. Chapin.

ST. ANN'S CHURCH, St. Ann's Av. and 140th St., the Rev. W. Bertrand Stevens, Rector. 8, 11, (Pres. Pierce of Kenyon College.) 8, Sunday school festival.

ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S CHURCH,
Madison Avenue, corner 44th Street,
The. Rev. LEIGHTON PARKS, D. D., Rector.
8 A. M.—Holy Communion.
11 A. M.—Preacher, the Rector.
4 P. M.—Preacher, Rev. Frank Heartfield.
Cantata: "The Sages of Sheba."
Organ Recital at 5:15.

ST. JAMES'S CHURCH,
Madison Av. and 71st St.
Holy Communion, 8; Sunday School, 9:45; Morning Service, 11; Children's Christmas Carol Service, 4.

ST. LUKE'S, West 141st St., Convent Av.
SERVICES 8, 11 A. M., 8 P. M.

ST. MARK'S IN THE BOUWERIE,
2d Av. and 10th St.,
New York City.
10:30 A. M.—Special musical programme.
11 A. M.—Morning prayer and sermon by the rector.
4:30 P. M.—Short service and five-minute address by the rector on an extra-Biblical text; University Extension Lecture thereafter in St. Mark's Hall.

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ST. MATTHEW'S CHURCH, 84th St., near Central Park West.—Rev. ARTHUR H. JUDGE, Rector. Services, 8, 11, and 8.

ST. STEPHEN'S, 122-128 WEST 69TH ST.
Rev. Dr. SEAGLE, Rector, 8, 11, 4.

ST. THOMAS'S CHURCH,
5th Av. and 53d St.
Rev. ERNEST M. STIRES, D. D., Rector.
8 A. M.—Holy Communion.
11—Morning Service and Sermon, (Rector.)
4—Children's Service. Dec. 31, New Year's Eve, 11 P. M., Holy Communion.

TRINITY CHURCH.
Sunday Services:
7:00, 7:30 A. M., Holy Communion.
10:15 A. M., Morning Prayer.
11:00 A. M., Sermon and Holy Communion.
3:30 P. M., Evensong.
8:00 P. M., Mission Service and Sermon.
Week-day Services:
7:30, 9 A. M.; 3 P. M.
Short service for business people daily (except Saturday) at 12 M.
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TRINITY CHAPEL,
West 25th St., just off Broadway.
Sunday Services, 8 and 11 A. M.; 8 P. M.
Weekday Services, 7:30 and 9 A. M.; 4 P. M.

Trinity Parish, Chapel of the Intercession, Broadway & 158th St., the Rev. M. H. Gates, S. T. D., Vicar.—8, 8:45, 9:45, 10:20, 11 A. M. & 8 P.M. Choral Service. Dr. Gates will preach.

Reformed.

FORT WASHINGTON REFORMED CHURCH,
Fort Washington Av. and 181st St.—Rev. A. J. MUSTE at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.

Reformed.

MADISON AVENUE REFORMED CHURCH,
Madison Avenue, corner of 57th Street.
Morning Service,
HENRY VAN DYKE.
Evening, Peace Meeting, Henry Clews presiding.

REFORMED CHURCH OF HARLEM,
Lenox Av. and 123d St.
Rev. EDGAR TILTON, Jr., D. D., Minister, will preach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.
Christmas Music will be repeated.

SOUTH CHURCH, Park Av. and 85th St., Rev. THOMAS REED BRIDGES, D. D., Minister.
MANOR CHURCH, 348 West 26th St., Rev. JAMES PALMER, Ph.D., Minister.
Divine service at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. at both churches.

THE MIDDLE COLLEGIATE CHURCH,
2d Av. and 7th St.
Rev. JOHN G. FAGG, D. D., Minister, will preach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.

THE MARBLE COLLEGIATE CHURCH,
5th Av. and 29th St.
Rev. DAVID JAS. BURRELL, D. D., Minister, will preach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.
Morning: "The Brief Candle."
Evening: "The River of Forgetfulness."

THE COLLEGIATE CHURCH OF ST. NICHOLAS,
5th Av. and 48th St.
Rev. MALCOLM JAMES MACLEOD, Minister, will preach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.
Quartette accompanied by Harp and Violin.

THE WEST END COLLEGIATE CHURCH,
West End Av. and 77th St.
Rev. HENRY EVERTSON COBB, D.D., Minister, will preach at 11 A. M. and 4:30 P. M. At 11 A. M. Choir assisted by Mr. Alexander Saslavsky, Violinist. At 4:30 P. M. Christmas Carols. Choir assisted by Mrs. Annie Louise David, Harpist, and Riverside Choral Club.

Reformed Episcopal.

FIRST REFORMED EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Madison Av. and 55th St. W. D. Stevens, D. D., rector. Services 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.

Society of Friends.

RELIGIOUS SOCIETY OF FRIENDS.—Meetings for worship, 11 A. M., at 221 East 15th St., Manhattan, and 110 Schermerhorn St., Brooklyn.

Theosophy.

THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY,
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Unitarian.

ALL SOULS', (Unitarian,) 4th Av., 20th St.
Rev. THOMAS R. SLICER, Pastor.
REV. DR. WM. W. FENN, DEAN OF THE DIVINITY SCHOOL OF HARVARD UNIVERSITY, will preach. Services, 11 A. M. All cordially invited.

CHURCH OF THE MESSIAH (UNITARIAN.)
Park Avenue and 34th Street.
John Haynes Holmes, Minister.
11 A. M.—Special Service in dedication of the SIMPSON MEMORIAL WINDOW.
MR. HOLMES will preach. Subject,
"ELIJAH BEFORE AHAB." All are Welcome.

CHURCH OF THE SAVIOUR, (UNITARIAN,)
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LENOX AVENUE UNITARIAN CHURCH,
Corner 121st Street. Services at Eleven.
MARK TWAIN: HUMANIST.
Rev. Merle St. Croix Wright, D. D., Minister.

WASHINGTON HEIGHTS, 600 W. 181ST.
PETER H. GOLDSMITH, D. D., Minister.
Worship and Sermon, 8 P. M.

Universalist.

THE CHURCH OF THE DIVINE PATERNITY,
Central Park West and 76th Street.
Rev. FRANK OLIVER HALL, D. D., Pastor, will preach at 11 A. M.—"TURNING OVER A NEW LEAF," and at 4:30 P. M.—"THE BUSINESS BEFORE US." Hawley's Cantata, "The Christ Child."

Y. M. C. A.

DR. NEWELL DWIGHT HILLIS.
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23d St. Y. M. C. A., near 7th Av., at 4.

Other Services.

GOSPEL TABERNACLE CHURCH, 44th Street and 8th Avenue, Rev. A. B. Simpson, Pastor.—Sunday, December 29th, 10:30 A. M., Rev. A. B. Simpson; 8 P. M., Rev. W. T. MacArthur.

SPANISH EVANGELICAL CHURCH.
24th St. and Madison Av. 24th St. entrance.
Rev. Samuel F. Gordiano, M. A., Pastor.
Sundays, 3; Thursdays, 8 P. M. Spanish students welcome.

VEDANTA: SWAMI BODHANANDA, 135 West 80th St., 3 P. M., "The Preceptor and the Pupil."

LEGAL NOTICES.

State of New York, } ss.:
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This is to certify that the undersigned, a corporation duly organized, created and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Virginia, with its principal place of business at Richmond, Virginia, and transacting business at No. 105 Hudson Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, presents herewith a description of the bottles, and the name, labels and marks thereon used by the said Company in its business, for the purpose of protecting the same, pursuant to the provisions of Article 24 of Chapter 25 of the Laws of 1909, constituting Chapter 20 of the Consolidated Laws, and known as the General Business Law, approved February 17th, 1909, as amended by Chapter 475 of the Laws of 1909 relating to the registration, use and protection of trade marks.

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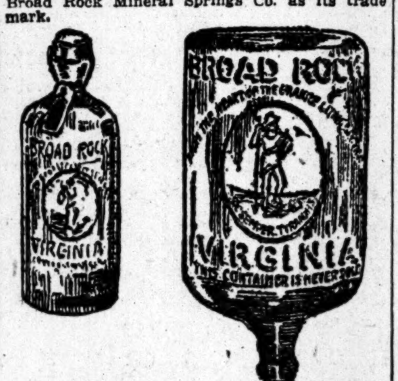

IN WITNESS WHEREOF BROAD ROCK MINERAL SPRINGS COMPANY has caused these presents to be signed by its president, and the corporate seal affixed thereto, attested by its secretary, this 30th day of October, 1912.
BROAD ROCK MINERAL SPRINGS COMPANY,
By JOHN LANDSTREET, President.
Attest: F. E. MASON, Secretary.

To the creditors of the Atlantic City Transportation Company:

In pursuance of an order of the United States District Court for the District of New Jersey, made on the day of the date hereof, in a cause wherein Edward V. Pechin, Warren Webster, Augustus E. Jardine, and William J. Maloney are complainants and the Atlantic City Transportation Company is the defendant, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said company to present to Augustus E. Jardine, Receiver of the said company, at his temporary office, Rooms 1-5 Blackstone Building, 14-16 South Tennessee Avenue, in the City of Atlantic City, County of Atlantic, and State of New Jersey, their several claims and demands against the said company, duly verified under oath or affirmation, within two months from the date hereof, or they will be excluded from the benefits of such dividends as may hereafter be made and declared by said Court from the assets of said company.

Dated December 7th, 1912.
AUGUSTUS E. JARDINE,
Receiver of Atlantic City Transportation Company.
CHANDLER & ROBERTSON, Attorneys for Receiver.

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Majestic..Dec. 29, 9 AM | *St. Paul..Jan. 11
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Miniature Almanac for To-day.

Sun rises..7:23 | Sun sets..4:39 | Moon rises..10:14

THE TIDES.

	High Water.		Low Water.	
	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
Sandy Hook	10:50	11:28	4:32	5:13
Governors Island	11:02	11:50	5:05	5:50
Hell Gate	12:52	1:40	6:40	7:2

Arrived—Friday, Dec. 27.

SS Majestic, Southampton, Dec. 18.
SS Ancona, Palermo, Dec. 13.
SS San Giorgio, Naples, Dec. 10.
SS City of St. Louis, Savannah, Dec. 25.
SS Comanche, Jacksonville, Dec. 24.
SS Caracas, San Juan, Dec. 21.
SS El Norte, Galveston, Dec. 21.
SS Colon, Colon, Dec. 23.
SS St. Egbert, Algiers, Dec. 8.
SS Chelston, Cape Gracios, Dec. 20.
SS Canada, Gibraltar, Dec. 18.

Incoming Steamships.

DUE TO-DAY.		
Bordeaux	Havre	Dec. 12
Wells City	Swansea	Dec. 10
Sibia	London	Dec. 16
Trignac	Dunkirk	Dec. 11
Satilla	Galveston	Dec. 20
Michigan	Antwerp	Dec. 11
Annie	Algiers	Dec. 12
Paul Paix	Swansea	Dec. 13
Volturno	Rotterdam	Dec. 12
Morro Castle	Havana	Dec. 24
Celtic	Liverpool	Dec. 19
New York	Southampton	Dec. 21
Italia	Palermo	Dec. 13
Pannonia	Gibraltar	Dec. 17
Bramley	Hamburg	Dec. 13
Dinnamare	Naples	Dec. 12
El Cid	Galveston	Dec. 22
Georgic	Liverpool	Dec. 17
DUE TO-MORROW.		
Campania	Liverpool	Dec. 21
Cameronia	Glasgow	Dec. 21
Hudson	Vigo	Dec. 18
Minnehaha	London	Dec. 19
Touraine	Havre	Dec. 21
Anglo-Saxon	St. Lucia	Dec. 19
Bantu	Santa Fe	Dec. 8
El Cid	Galveston	Dec. 23
City of Atlanta	Savannah	Dec. 26
DUE MONDAY.		
Potsdam	Rotterdam	Dec. 21
Alberto Treves	Seville	Dec. 14
Borinquen	San Juan	Dec. 24
Allemania	Inagua	Dec. 26
Buffalo	Hull	Dec. 15
Florizel	St. John's	Dec. 24
Montoso	Tampico	Dec. 21
Brazos	San Juan	Dec. 25
El Mundo	Galveston	Dec. 24
Creole	New Orleans	Dec. 25
Dakotan	Puerto Mexico	Dec. 23
Neckar	Bremen	Dec. 21
Filomachi	Lisbon	Dec. 20
Gerty	Trieste	Dec. 18

Outgoing Steamships.

	Mails Close.	Vessels Sail.
SAIL TO-DAY.		
Pres. Lincoln, Hamburg	9:30 A.M.	1:00 P.M.
Farley, Argentina	3:00 A.M.	6:00 A.M.
San Juan, San Juan	9:00 A.M.	12:00 M.
Uller, St. Kitts	9:00 A.M.	11:00 A.M.
Vestris, Barbados	9:30 A.M.	1:00 P.M.
Saratoga, Havana	10:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.
Algonquin, Turks Island	10:00 A.M.	12:00 M.
Santa Rosa, Rio Janeiro	11:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.
Nassocia, Rio Janeiro	11:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.
Napo, Barbados	11:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.
Prinz August Wilhelm, Jamaica	11:00 A.M.	2:00 P.M.
Florizel, St. John's	11:30 A.M.	2:00 P.M.
Lampasas, Tampa		1:00 P.M.
Bermudian, Bermuda	12:00 M.	2:00 P.M.
Prins Willem III., Haiti	8:30 A.M.	11:00 A.M.
Comanche, Jacksonville		1:00 P.M.
Ocean Prince, Argentina	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.
San Jacinto, Galveston	——	1:00 P.M.
M. Washington, Trieste	——	1:00 P.M.
Russia, Libau	——	3:00 P.M.
City of St. Louis, Savannah		3:00 P.M.
Proteus, New Orleans	——	12:00 M.
El Sol, Galveston	——	12:00 M.
SAIL TO-MORROW.		
Majestic, Southampton	——	9:00 A.M.
Minneapolis, London	——	3:00 P.M.
SAIL MONDAY.		
Ancona, Naples	——	11:00 A.M.
Niagara, Havre	——	3:00 P.M.
Frutera, Belize	9:30 A.M.	12:00 M.

Supplementary mails are open on the piers of the American, English, German, and French transatlantic lines, until within ten minutes of the hour of sailing at double postage rates.

By Marconi Wireless.

SANDY HOOK, N. J., DEC. 27.
SS Campania, Liverpool to New York, was 820 miles E. at 9 A. M.; due 29th, 8:30 A. M. Cunard Line.
SS Cameronia, Glasgow to New York, was 776 miles E. at noon; due 29th, 12:30 A. M. Anchor Line.
SS Minnehaha, London to New York, was 880 miles E. at 7:10 A. M.; due 29th, 5 P. M. Atlantic Transport Line.
SS Niagara, Havre to New York, was 198 miles E. at 11:50 A. M.; due 28th, 8:30 A. M. French Line.
SS Lackawanna, Barrow to New York, was 388 miles E. at noon.
SS New York, Southampton to New York, was 713 miles E. at 6:30 P. M.; due 29th, 9 A. M. American Line.
LIZARD, ENGLAND.
SS Philadelphia, New York to Southampton, was 870 miles E. at 10:20 A. M.; due Plymouth 28th, 8 A. M. American Line.
SCOTLAND LIGHTSHIP.
SS City of Atlanta, Savannah to New York, was 30 miles S. W. of Frying Pan at noon.
SS Dakotan, Puerto Mexico to New York, was 733 miles S. at noon.
SS El Dia, New Orleans to New York, was 115 miles S. at 7 P. M.
SS Apache, Jacksonville to New York, was 260 miles S. at 6 P. M.
SS Alamo, Galveston to New York, was 277 miles S. at 7 P. M.
SS El Cid, Galveston to New York, was 60 miles S. of Diamond Shoals at 7 P. M.

Foreign Ports.

Arrived.

SS Noordam, at Rotterdam, Dec. 27.
SS Buenos Aires, at Cadiz, Dec. 21.
SS Stampalia, at Genoa, Dec. 23.
SS Czar, at Rotterdam, Dec. 25.
SS Baltic, at Queenstown, Dec. 27.
SS City of Lincoln, at Melbourne, Dec. 26.
SS Indraghiri, at Singapore, Dec. 26.
SS Chicago City, at Bristol, Dec. 27.
SS Calliope, at Montevideo, Dec. 26.
SS Cape Finistere, at Cape Town, Dec. 26.
SS Kentucky, at Copenhagen, Dec. 24.
SS Snowflake, at Calais, Dec. 25.
SS Guiana, at St. Thomas, Dec. 26.
SS Harpagos, at Sydney, N. S. W., Dec. 26.
SS Linden, at Durban, Dec. 21.
SS Malinche, at Pomaron, Dec. 23.
SS Pangalos, at Marseilles, Dec. 28.
SS Dogama, at Madeira, Dec. 26.

Sailed.

SS Oceanic, from Cherbourg, Dec. 27.
SS Oceania, from Trieste, Dec. 22.
SS Minnewaska, from London, Dec. 27.
SS Magdalena, from Barbados, Dec. 25.
SS Clan Forbes, from Dundee, Dec. 26.
SS Clan MacBride, from Dundee, Dec. 26.
SS Barotse, from Bombay, Dec. 24.
SS Swazi, from Yokohama, Dec. 24.
SS Aidan, from Barbados, Dec. 25.
SS Mexico, from Havre, Dec. 25.
SS Diamant, from Swinemunde, Dec. 21.

Passed.

SS Friedrich der Grosse, New York for Bremen, passed Brow Head.
SS Grosser Kurfuerst, New York for Bremen, passed Brow Head.
SS Thimbleby, New York for Oran, passed Gibraltar.
SS Shimosa, New York for Yokohama, passed Perim.
SS Etonian, New York for Antwerp, passed Dungeness.

Transpacific Mails.

[These mails close in New York at 6:30 P. M.]

Destination and Steamer.	Close in N. Y.
Hawaii, Japan, Korea, and China (via San Francisco)—Shinyo Maru	Dec. 30
Hawaii, Guam, and Philippine Islands (via San Francisco)—U. S. Transport	Jan. 1
Japan, Korea, and China (specially addressed only) (via Tacoma) ———	Jan. 2
Tahiti, Marquesas, Cook Islands, New Zealand, and Australia (specially addressed) (via San Francisco)—Moana	Jan. 3
Hawaii, Samoan Islands, New Zealand, (except parcel post,) and Australia, (except West,) (via San Francisco)—Ventura	Jan. 9
Hawaii, Fiji Islands, Samoan Islands, New Zealand, and Australia (except West) (via Vancouver)—Marama	Jan. 17
Japan, Korea, China, and Philippine Islands (via Vancouver)—Monteagle	Jan. 17

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THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—The storm that developed Thursday night over the Middle Atlantic States moved rapidly northeastward, and Friday night its centre was near Eastport, Me., where the pressure was 28.60 inches. During the last twenty-four hours this disturbance caused rains in the South Atlantic and East Gulf States and rains and snows in the North Atlantic States, the Ohio Valley, and the lake region.

It has been followed by high northwest winds over the whole of the Atlantic Coast, except the Florida Peninsula.

Another storm has appeared in the Canadian Northwest, and it is causing rains and high winds in the North Pacific States.

The temperature has fallen in practically all districts east of the Mississippi River, and has risen in the Plains States and the Rocky Mountain region.

The indications are that the weather will be generally fair Saturday and Sunday over all districts except the Far Northwest, where it will be unsettled.

The temperature will rise Saturday in the Upper Mississippi and Ohio Valleys and the region of the Great Lakes, and it will fall Sunday in the Northwest. Temperature changes elsewhere will be unimportant.

Winds along the New England and Middle Atlantic Coasts will be high west diminishing; South Atlantic Coast, moderate northwest.

Steamships departing Saturday for European ports will have high west winds and fair weather to the Grand Banks.

FORECASTS FOR TO-DAY AND SUNDAY.

Eastern New York and New England—Fair and somewhat colder Saturday; Sunday fair, high northwest winds, diminishing.

New Jersey and Eastern Pennsylvania—Fair Saturday and probably Sunday; high northwest winds, diminishing.

Western New York—Fair Saturday and Sunday; slowly rising temperature; moderate west winds.

The temperature record for the twenty-four hours ended at midnight, taken from the thermometer at the local office of the United States Weather Bureau, is as follows:

	1911.	1912.		1911.	1912.
3 A. M.	44	39	4 P. M.	48	36
6 A. M.	46	38	6 P. M.	43	36
9 A. M.	47	40	9 P. M.	36	37
12 M.	48	37	11 P. M.	33	36

This thermometer is 414 feet above the street level. The average temperature yesterday was 38; for the corresponding date last year it was 42; average on the corresponding date for the last thirty-three years, 32.

The temperature at 8 A. M. yesterday was 40, at 8 P. M. it was 38. Maximum temperature 42 degrees at 9:15 A. M., minimum 34 degrees at 4:15 A. M. Humidity 94 per cent. at 8 A. M., 62 per cent. at 8 P. M.

The barometer at 8 A. M. yesterday registered 29.53 inches; at 8 P. M. it stood at 29.37 inches.

FIRE RECORD.

A. M. Loss.
8:20—49th St. and 8th Av.; Yellow Taxicab Company $25
8:30—241 E. 14th St.; Kelabab Synagogue .$100
9:40—320 E. 4th St.; E. Gross $300
P. M.
1:15—401 E. 15th St.; Sabul & Krauss ...$1,000
1:40—266 W. 115th St.; Henry Nash...Trifling
2:30—200 Wooster St.; P. Montazano. Unknown
3:55—209 E. 53d St.; William Hodges $10
4:45—229 E. 110th St.; A. Galloup ..... Trifling
5:20—180 Clinton St.; unknown $300
5:20—3,509 3d Av.; John Eichler ...... Trifling
5:30—30 W. 30th St.; Hofbrau Restaurant. None
6:05—183 Avenue A; P. Bernstein $1,000
7:00—6 E. 110th St.; Wolf Kam .... Trifling
7:30—510 E. 77th St.; E. Costello $25
8:00—292 Pearl St.; P. Nithe & Son.... $1,000
9:10—401 W. 119th St.; J. Siegel....... Trifling
9:25—66 W. 82d St.; M. Chalheimer.....$1,000
9:40—Canal St. and North River; Dept. Street Cleaning .... Trifling
10:00—209-211 Sullivan St.; Lesser & Cuceo Not given

ESTATES APPRAISED.

BONNEVILLE, SUE, (died July 9, 1910;) supplemental report; net estate amended to $14,921.89.

DAVIS, WILLIAM V. W., (died Aug. 25, 1910;) supplemental report; net estate amended to $6,269.10.

CURRIE, MARY B., (died Aug. 17, 1898;) supplemental report; redistribution of assets.

ELY, SMITH, (died July 1, 1911;) net estate, $1,096,373.11; personalty, $670,817.12, including bank deposits, $70,545.37; bonds and mortgages and personal chattels, $323,290.54; 15 shares Detroit, Mackinac & Marquette Railroad land grant bonds, $3,981.25; 200 shares American Chicle Company preferred, $21,000; 100 shares American Chicle Company common, $27,000; 2,000 shares Brooklyn City Railroad Company, $33,600; 500 shares Chicago, Indianapolis & Louisville Railroad, $20,000; 200 shares Brooklyn Union Gas Company, $28,200; 231 shares Minneapolis, St. Paul & Sault Ste. Marie Railroad, $4,290; 100 shares Interborough-Metropolitan preferred, $5,000; 100 shares Interborough-Metropolitan, $1,787.50; 100 shares New York Dock Company preferred, $6,600; 100 shares Erie Railroad first preferred, $6,012.50; City of New York corporate stock, $20,000; State of New York loan for canal improvement, $21,200; State of New York loan for highway improvement, $10,300; 50 shares Alabama Mineral Land Company, $5,000; 250 shares National Licorice Company, $20,000; realty, $492,980.20, including equity in 87 Gold Street, appraised at $42,500, less mortgages $31,076.49; 384 South Street, $8,500; 365 Front Street, $5,800; 369 Front Street, $8,000; 255 South Street, $10,500; 257 South Street, $11,000; 257½ South Street, $9,500; 509 Water Street, $7,000; 503, 505, and 507 Water Street, $21,000; 15, 17, 19, 21, 23, 25, and 27 Renwick Street, $47,950; 535 to 539 West Thirtieth Street, $13,000; 601 to 613 West Thirtieth Street, $39,000; northeast corner of West and Watts Streets, $90,000; east side of West Street, $17,500; west side of Prospect Avenue, Bronx, $2,700; south side of Eighth Street, between Ninth and Fourth Avenues, Queens, $1,500; south side of Ninth Street, between Eleventh and Fourth Avenues, Queens, $600; west side of Eighth Avenue, between Ninth and Tenth Streets, Queens, $1,000; half interest in 71 Bowery, $24,000; half interest in 53 Chrystie Street, whole appraised at $18,000; half interest in 47, 49, and 51 Chrystie Street, whole appraised at $46,000; half interest in Lot 1, Section 17, Block 5,749, Brooklyn, whole appraised at $13,700; half interest in Lot 42, Section 18, Block 5,830, Brooklyn, whole appraised at $19,160; half interest in Lot 4, Section 17, Block 5,763, Brooklyn, whole appraised at $16,300; half interest in Lot 20, Section 18, Block 5,858, Brooklyn, whole appraised at $23,400; half interest in 65 acres on Benedict Avenue, Greenburg, Westchester County, whole appraised at $26,000; half interest in Lot 7, Section 5, Block 1,273, 57 West Fifty-seventh Street, appraised at $37,500.

FOX, THOMAS H., (died Oct. 27, 1906;) net estate, $6,775; personalty, $3,025, bank deposits; realty, $3,750, being half interest in 346 West Thirty-first Street, appraised at $17,500, less mortgage of $10,000.

GOLDBERGER, MICHAEL, (died Aug. 1, 1911;) net estate, $19,056.78; personalty, $6,413.33, being bank deposits; realty, $14,000, being equity in 330 East Seventy-seventh Street, appraised at $24,000, less mortgage of $10,000.

HANKINS, CHARLES W. B., (died Dec. 2, 1906;) no estate.

KELLOGG, MARY E., (died Jan. 2, 1911;) net New York estate, $3,000.16; New York personalty, $3,582.93, mostly bank deposits; entire estate, $3,724.12.

McGOVERN, JAMES, (died July 6, 1911;) net estate, $19,798.30; personalty, $7,602.85, mostly bank deposits; realty, $13,500, being equity in 164 East 103d Street, appraised at $21,500, less mortgage of $17,000; 453 East Eighty-third Street, appraised at $18,000, less mortgage of $9,000.

McGREEVY, ELLEN, (died Sept. 6, 1900;) net estate, $2,029.15; personalty, $2,884.57, mostly bank deposits.

NICHOLS, ELEANOR C., (died April 26, 1908;) supplemental report; no estate.

PEABODY, GEORGE L., (died ——;) supplemental report; confirms former appraisal.

POLLAK, HERMINI, (died Feb. 11, 1903;) no estate.

RAND, ANNE C., (died April 8, 1910;) net New York estate, $5,810.38; New York personalty, $5,985, being 63 shares New York State Railways preferred; left $5,000 each to Home for Children and Aged Women of Minneapolis, Minn., and Maternity Hospital of Minneapolis.

TAYLOR, ABBY JANE, (died Nov. 23, 1910;) net New York estate, $1,382.71; New York personalty, $1,426.25, being 10 shares American Telephone and Telegraph Company; entire estate, $128,159.84; left $5,000 to Home for Aged Men, Boston, Mass.

TYRELL, MARTIN D., (died June 22, 1893;) net estate, $23,756.35; personalty, $33,902.39, mostly bank deposits.

WELBY, the Rev. MONTAGUE EARLE, (died Dec. 31, 1910;) net New York estate, $2,852.03; New York personalty, $2,892.50, being 26 shares New York Central Railroad; entire estate, $339,285; left $12,125 to Middlesex Hospital, London; $12,125 to London Dock Hospital and Rescue Home, $24,250 to Bishop of St. Albans Fund, Westminster; $24,250 to Church Penitentiary Association.

EDUCATION NOTES.

The action of the committee on the care of buildings, in granting permission for these entertainments has been approved by the Board of Education:

To the People's Institute to use the assembly room in the Manual Training High School on Sunday afternoon, Feb. 2, 9, 16, and 23, and March 2, 9, 16, 23, and 30, 1913, from 2:30 to 5:30 o'clock, for lectures and concerts, at which collections are to be taken up, the accounts to be subject to the inspection of the President of the Board of Education.

To the Principal of Public School 43, the Bronx, to occupy the auditorium on five afternoons during January, 1913, for entertainments, at which an admission fee is to be charged, the proceeds to be devoted to the purchase of pictures and records for the Victor machine, a statement of the expenditures and receipts to be transmitted to the President of the Board of Education after each entertainment.

To the Principal of Public School 156, boys, Brooklyn, to occupy the auditorium on the evening of Jan. 18, 1913, for an entertainment, at which an admission fee is to be charged, the proceeds to be devoted to the purchase of pictures and needed school apparatus, a statement of the expenditures and receipts to be submitted to the President of the Board of Education after the entertainment.

To the Parents' Association to occupy the auditorium in Public School 13, Richmond, on some evening between March 24 and April 5, 1913, for an entertainment, an admission fee to be charged and the proceeds to be applied to the fund for the relief of needy pupils of the school, a statement of the expenditures and receipts to be submitted to the President of the Board of Education after the entertainment.

To the Parents' Association of Public School 5, Brooklyn, Willoughby House and Neighborhood Guild, to occupy the auditorium in Public School 5, Brooklyn, on each Tuesday and Friday evening, from 8 to 10 o'clock, from Jan. 3 to April 25, inclusive, 1913, for moving picture shows of an educational character, an admission fee of 5 cents or less to be charged, the proceeds to be devoted to the purchase of a moving picture outfit for the school, a statement of the expenditures and receipts to be submitted to the President of the Board of Education after each show.

The Board of Trustees of Normal College has approved the action of the Executive Committee in conferring the degree of A. B. upon Miss Claudine Gray, instructor in French in the college.

Arnold Kutner, a teacher in the High School of Commerce, has been retired, to take effect Feb. 1, 1913.

The action of the Board of Superintendents in transferring Principal Susan A. Griffin from Public School 88, Manhattan, to Public School 84, Girls, Brooklyn, and Principal Bella Strauss from Public School 59, Brooklyn, to Public School 88, Manhattan, has been approved by the Board of Education.

Maxwell Kaufman and John Bruns have been temporarily appointed as mechanical draughtsmen in the Bureau of Buildings.

The Board of Education has established the position or grade of expert accountant in the Bureau of Supplies for one incumbent at $4,000 a year.

The suspension on Oct. 17, 1912, of Louis A. Rabinowitz, a teacher in Public School 36, Brooklyn, has been revoked, and the charge of neglect of duty preferred against him has been withdrawn.

The suspension on Nov. 13 of Edythe M. Hewlett, a teacher in Public School 99, Brooklyn, has been revoked, and the charge of neglect of duty preferred against her by District Supt. Edsell has been withdrawn.

The Board of Education will use such rooms in Public School 47, the Bronx, as are not needed for elementary school purposes, as annex to the Morris High School.

Permission has been granted to the teacher in charge of Public School 32, Lakeville Road, Little Neck, Queens, to hold the graduating exercises of the school in Fire Hall of that village.

The Principals of Public Schools 10, Boys, 40 and 184, Manhattan, have been authorized to present medals and prizes.

Permission has been granted to the Principal of Public School 8, Brooklyn, to award prizes to pupils in 2A to 8B grades, inclusive, who are winners of spelling matches.

The Principals of Public Schools 9, Manhattan, and 165, Brooklyn, have been authorized to publish school papers.

United States.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces an open competitive examination on Jan. 20, for women only, to fill a vacancy as lecturer on road economics, at $1,200 a year, in the office of the Public Roads, Department of Agriculture, and vacancies as they may occur in positions requiring similar qualifications. The duties of this position will be to address women's and children's meetings in the interest of good roads, and with the object of producing and encouraging an interest in the good roads movement among women and children. Competitors will not be required to appear at any place for examination, but will be rated upon the following subjects, which will have the relative weights indicated:

Education and training 30
Experience and fitness 50
Publications or thesis 20

It is desired to obtain the services of a woman who has had experience in lecturing, teaching, traveling, and writing for publication. Applicants who show experience in teaching on the economical, historical, and social side of road improvement will receive additional credit in Subject 2. Under an act of Congress, applicants for this position must have been actually domiciled in the State in which they reside for at least one year previous to the date of the examination.

Applicants must have reached their twenty-fifth, but not their fortieth birthday on the date of the examination, which is open to all women who are citizens of or owe allegiance to the United States and who meet the requirements.

WILLS FOR PROBATE.

BAUM, HERMANN, (died Dec. 13;) left more than $10,000 personalty to widow, Sarah Baum.

GALLAHER, JOHN, (died Dec. 16;) left more than $1,000 realty and more than $500 personalty; household furniture in equal shares to daughters, Frances M. and Anna Gallaher; gold watch to son, William F. Gallaher; two-fifths of residue each to Frances M. and Emma Gallaher; one-tenth of residue each to sons, William F. and Charles B. Gallaher.

GREENHOOT, JENNIE, (died Dec. 7;) left more than $10,000 personalty to her sister, Mary Weiner; two brothers omitted.

KENDRICK, EDWARD, (died Dec. 19,) left $500 personalty equally to Blanche V. W. Kendrick, widow, and Caroline Anna Kendrick, daughter.

WILLIAMS, FANNIE, (died Oct. 30;) left more than $10,000; $2,000 to Edward Myers, first cousin; $1,500 each to Gertrude Woilfel, Kate Ferguson, first cousin, Carrie F. Williams, Sarah Waring, second cousin; Carrie Leggett, second cousin, and Velle Gifford; $500 to Cordelia Hutchinson; twenty-five cousins named in petition as heirs at law.

POLICE AND FIRE NEWS.

Police Department.

SPECIAL ORDERS 304.

Appointment as Probationary Patrolman (to take effect Dec. 26)—Arthur J. Masterson.

Transfers (to take effect 4 P. M. Dec. 26)—Patrolman J. W. Dunn, C. O. Squad to 7th Precinct; to take effect 8 A. M. Dec. 27: J. Geoghegan, 39th to 33d. Mutual (to take effect 8 A. M. Dec. 27)—Patrolmen E. Jones, 18th to 40th; W. J. Verlin, 40th to 18th; W. Bedell, 36th to 37th; C. T. Gallagher, 37th to 36th.

Assignments—Probationary Patrolmen, all appointed Dec. 24 and 26 to School for Recruits, from date of appointment. Temporary Patrolmen: J. E. Fitzgerald, 146th to B. B. H. Squad, 10 days, from 8 A. M. Dec. 28; H. L. Lobdell, 167th, to B. B. H. Squad, 3 days, from 8 A. M. Dec. 26.

Leaves of Absence With Full Pay—Capts. James F. Thompson, 36th, 5 days, from 12:01 A. M. Dec. 27, vacation; Lincoln Gray, 162d, 2 days, from 12:01 A. M. Dec. 29, balance of vacation. Without Pay—Inspector Edward P. Hughes, 16th District, 1 day, from 12 P. M. Dec. 24. Patrolmen—Julius F. Popp, 16th, 3 days, from 4 P. M. Dec. 31; H. J. McClay, 28th, 1 day, from noon Jan. 1.

Advancement to Grades, (to $1,400 grade Dec. 31.)—Patrolmen S. Rosenfeld, 21st Precinct; H. E. Eberhardt, 21st; J. J. Feldhaus, 28th; W. H. Fordham, 35th; W. H. McCarthy, 36th; J. J. Flood, 40th; E. Stevens, 65th; E. Schreyer, 146th; L. Beck, 158th; W. Read, 165th; E. G. Morris, 7th District. To $1,000 grade, Dec. 30—J. J. Ward, 1st; R. P. Harrington, 1st; H. F. Schneider, 6th; E. Lynch, 10th; I E. Gaynor, 12th; T. S. Carlin, 12th; A. P. Stanton, 13th; H. Spaeth, 15th; P. Flanagan, 16th; A. Boss, 16th; C. H. Abel, 16th; D. Spitzer, 16th; M. Silverman, 17th; C. E. Daly, 26th; J. F. Winter, 26th; H. Krank, 29th; H. Connell, 29th; P. McConnell, 32d; P. M. King, 37th; F. R. Bruns, 37th; J. A. Green, 39th; J. C. T. Miles, 42d; A. Unverzagt, 43d; A. C. Fleischer, 74th; E. J. McNamee, 145th; C. H. Siefried, 146th; M. J. Murphy, 149th; E. T. Clark, 149th; R. A. Astarita, 170th; W. J. Hunt, 281st; C. A. Patterson, 283d; T. A. Healy, C. O.; G. A. Camerer, C. O.; J. J. Finnegan, 2d District. To $900 grade, Dec. 28—E. L. Warner, 21st; J. T. Riordan, 32d; J. H. Von Etten, 35th; J. J. Tuite, 37th; C. F. Reilly, 40th; A. G. Grundig, 40th; A. L. Mullane, 40th; J. Powers, 40th; H. McMahon, 40th; J. Zatrepalek, 40th; P. Von der Schmidt, 40th; J. P. J. Rehill, 42d; R. Zeigler, 146th.

General Orders 53:

Beginning at midnight, Dec. 31, the boundaries of the 42d and 74th Precincts will be as follows:

42d—Hudson River, Ship Canal, Spuyten Duyvil Creek, Harlem River, West 165th Street to Hudson River, including Harlem River Speedway from West 155th Street to West 165th Street.

74th—Hudson River, City Line, Jerome Avenue, Fordham Road, Harlem River, Spuyten Duyvil Creek, Ship Canal to Hudson River.

Fire Department.

Special Orders 216:

Passed the medical and physical examination for the position of Engineer of Steamer and ordered to Capt. J. J. Henry, Supervising Engineer, at Grand Street and East River at times specified, for test in operating steam fire engines: Dec. 30, 8:30 A. M.—F. Blessing, Engine 33; E. Wagenman, Engine 18; M. Carney, Engine 27; J. Hallion, Engine 72; J. J. D'Azevedo, Engine 34. 10 A. M.—W. Singer, Engine 16; W. F. Tighe, Engine 21; F. Schneider, H. & L. 39; W. Fry, H. & L. 7; M. Gibney, H. & L. 16. 12 M.—C. Fensler, Engine 44; W. J. Gleason, Engine 26; J. J. Merrigan, Engine 54; A. E. Robertson, Engine 58; G. Keil, H. & L. 25. 2 P. M.—J. W. Murphy, Engine 27; P. E. Howe, Engine 74; T. F. Murphy, Engine 72; E. A. Cassidy, H. & L. 4; W. H. McSweeney, H. & L. 39. Dec. 31, 8:30 A. M.—J. J. McKough, Engine 16; W. A. Waltz, Engine 74; W. L. C. Platz, H. & L. 25; H. Kennedy, H. & L. 35; M. Carrig, H. & L. 39. 10 A. M.—Peter Toner, Engine 4; C. A. Swenson, No. 1, Engine 10; W. T. Coffield, Engine 7; A. A. Kunkel, Engine 12; J. B. Cregin, Engine 29. 12 M.—J. J. Butler, Engine 9; J. J. Brady, Engine 11; H. F. Williams, Engine 13; W. J. McGrath, No. 1, Engine 32; M. Boyle, Engine 33. 2 P. M.—T. J. McLaughlin, Engine 5; C. L. Maher, Engine 7; T. Foley, Engine 17; E. F. Fanning, Engine 55; J. L. Langridge, H. & L. 6.

Notice.—Company commanders are notified that in filling out and forwarding company rosters, as per Circular 10, Dec. 26, date of entrance into the service on or after July 17, 1907, will be that of original appointment as an un-uniformed fireman.

Special Leaves of Absence, without pay—Engineer of Steamer J. H. Wubbenhorst, Engine 87, 12 hours from 8 P. M. Dec. 28; Pilot F. Kiernan, Engine 57, 4 days from 8 A. M. Dec. 30; Fireman Second Grade F. E. Hoolahan, Engine 38, for 12 hours from 8 P. M. Dec. 31; Fireman First Grade H. Romanoff, Engine 78, for 24 hours from 8 A. M. Jan. 1; Lieut. J. A. McKiever, Engine 207, 24 hours from 8 A. M. Jan. 1; Fireman Second Grade T. Loonam, Engine 33, 24 hours from 8 A. M. Jan. 1.

GENERAL ORDERS 75.

General Orders 6, Paragraphs I., III., and Manhattan Fire Alarm Company, dated Feb. 3, 1910, is corrected as to assignments for Stations 3-590, 3-613, 3-895, 15-68, 15-313, 15-314, 15-418, and 8199. New cards for these stations have been issued; on receipt, commanding officers will substitute them for the old cards, which will be returned with the number of the division, battalion, or company marked on the face of the cards returned. (Old cards will be marked in pencil and promptly returned in the same envelope in which the new cards are delivered.)

Above assignments to take effect at 8 A. M. Dec. 28.

THE UNITED SERVICE.

Special to The New York Times.

The Army.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Capt. J. A. Berry, Coast Artillery, from duty on Staff of Commanding Officer, Artillery, District of Pensacola, to the Thirty-fourth Company.

Capt. H. S. Miller, Coast Artillery, from Ninety-fourth to Forty-sixth Company.

Capt. W. H. Carpenter, Coast Artillery, from Thirty-fourth to One Hundred and Sixth Company.

First Lieut. R. L. Weeks, Sixteenth Infantry, from assignment to that regiment.

First Lieut. A. E. Brown, Twenty-third to Sixteenth Infantry.

First Lieut. A. Payne, Coast Artillery, from Twenty-first Company, placed on unassigned list, and will command army mine planter, Gen. John M. Schofield, during temporary absence of Capt. H. W. Bunn.

First Lieut. L. Powell, Thirteenth Infantry, to his home, preparatory to retirement.

Major H. G. Learnard, Fourteenth Infantry, and Capt. M. C. Kerth, Sixth Infantry, relieved from duty as Directors of National Rifle Association of America.

Lieut. Col. H. C. Hale, Infantry, appointed Director of National Rifle Association.

Second Lieut. A. Boone, Third Cavalry, to Fort Riley, Kan.

First Lieut. J. H. Holland, Medical Corps, from Fort Bliss, Texas, to Fort Douglas, Utah.

Lieut. Col. O. C. Horney, Ordnance Department, to Wellsville, N. Y., to inspect machinery.

First Lieut. C. M. Eby, Twelfth Cavalry, is detailed as Professor of Military Science at University of Missouri.

Second Lieut. G. F. Patten, Thirteenth Cavalry, to Fort Riley, Kan., for temporary duty, and upon completion proceed to West Point, N. Y.

LEAVES—Capt. H. W. Bunn, Coast Artillery, granted fourteen days. First Lieut. L. Powell, Thirteenth Infantry, granted leave to and including April 8. Capt. W. G. Doane, Twenty-fifth Infantry, leave extended one month and twenty days. First Lieut. S. D. Smith, Cavalry, granted three months. Major D. Settle, Twenty-ninth Infantry, granted fifteen days. First Lieut. C. L. Davenport, Nineteenth Infantry, granted leave to and including Feb. 3. Capt. B. F. Browne, Fifth Field Artillery, leave extended three months and fifteen days.

The Navy.

Commander R. H. Jackson to Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md.

Lieut. D. P. Wickersham, detached Navy Recruiting Station, Jan. 9, to leave.

Lieut. Commander C. A. Abele, detached the Chester, to the Salem.

Lieut. Commander E. McCauley, Jr., detached the Naval Observatory, to the Chester.

Lieut. B. K. Johnson, detached the Alabama, to the South Dakota.

Lieut. J. B. Gay, to Navy Recruiting Station St. Louis, Mo.

Passed Asst. Surgeon W. H. Rennie, detached the Missouri, to the Georgia.

Passed Asst. Surgeon W. H. Rennie to Naval Hospital, Norfolk.

Passed Asst. Paymaster H. H. Alkire, to St. Louis and New Orleans.

Chief Gunner U. G. Chipman to Naval Magazine, Fort Mifflin, Penn.

Chief Machinist W. W. Booth, detached Navy Yard, New York, to the Vermont.

Movements of Naval Vessels.

SAILED—Vulcan from Caldera Bay for Santo Domingo City; New Hampshire from Caldera Bay for Norfolk; Warrington from Newport for Norfolk; Arkansas and Delaware from Cristobal for Key West.

Public Notices

WANTED—Present address of MINNIE I. THOMPSON, formerly of Brooklyn, N. Y. Address Box 123 Times.

Business Opportunities

YOUNG MAN (30) of unquestionable reputation, seeks connection with live manufacturing or mercantile concern. Has had 12 years' experience in successful retail business, and recently sold out his interest to enter a larger field. Has had experience buying and selling. Good future prospects the main consideration. Very best references. N 114 Times.

Electric Construction Company with orders in excess of its capital, desires capital and live man; bank and high indorsements; established 10 years; no agents. Y 67 Times.

SALESMAN.—Manufacturer cloaks, commanding biggest, best trade, wants partner, backer; interest reliable concern; big results guaranteed. "E. M.," 263 West 125th St.

$25 REWARD.—Lost on evening of Dec. 17, either at Shanley's, 43d St. and Broadway, or Lyric Theatre, pearl pin surrounded by diamonds. Apply 40 West 57th St.

Boat building, repairing, renting business; City Island; must sacrifice; long lease; life opportunity; partners disagreed. Attorney, Room 459, 200 5th Av.

Man and wife want good Summer hotel, lease or manage; only A1 propositions considered; large following; no agencies or brokers. Y 66 Times.

PARTNER wanted, male or female, to manage first-class rooming and boarding house, upper west side. Partner, G 296 Times Downtown.

Partner wanted, jeweled combs, manufacturing concern; half interest, $2,500. Brooklyn Novelty, 1,104 Broadway, Brooklyn.

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DESKS, BUSINESS FURNITURE, bookcases, filing equipment, new and slightly used. Finn Bros., 358 B'way, 59 Franklin.

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Apartments to Let Unfurnished

West Side.

16th, 5 West.—Bachelor apartments, skylight studios, or room and bath; all improvements; references required.

137th St., 605 West, The Cromwell.—Cozily furnished 4-room apartment; Subway station. Burkhardt.

Furnished

Sublet.—Going abroad; comfortable furnished sitting room, dining room, kitchen, two bedrooms, bath, $115 month, to May 1, or $100 month to Sept. 30. Holland, 39 East 27th St.

Will sub-let 5 light rooms, Broadway and river exposure, 164th St. and Broadway; elevator and all modern conveniences. Phone Stanley, 3730 Audubon, for appointment.

112TH ST., 523 WEST.—Handsomely furnished seven-room front apartment foyer, two baths; new, exclusive elevator apartment; $150 monthly. Apartment 52.

City Houses to Let—Furnished

To Rent.—Completely furnished house, 81st St., between 5th and Madison Avs.; shown by appointment. T 109 Times.

City Houses to Let—Unfurnished

For lease, 323 East 162d, three-story two-family brick and stone dwelling; $70; upper part can be rented for $30; choice location. Wm. E. Diller, owner, 267 East 164th St., Bronx.

Bronx.

2,443 Walton Av., (Near Fordham Road.)—House, 7 rooms, bath, furnace; rent $35. Inquire 2,441 Walton Av.

The New York Times

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Lost

LOST.—Between Wall and Front Sts. and Wall St. Subway, New York, or between Borough Hall Subway and St. James Place, Brooklyn, via Fulton St. or Putnam Av. car, a gold wedding ring, marked inside F. T. W. to J. R. S., Oct. 28, 1892. Finder will be suitably rewarded by returning to J. R. Steven, 218 St. James Place, Brooklyn.

LOST—Dec. 25, between 1:30 and 2 P. M., either Penn. Station or 7th Av. uptown car, lady's black velvet bag, gray silk lining, containing rings, watch, gentleman's gloves, Subway tickets, purse with small change; suitable reward to finder. Notify A. S. Chatfield, 1 Broadway, New York. Phone Rector—4065.

LOST—Baby lamb square muff, Dec. 20, in taxicab, from Vanderbilt Hotel, or on 5th Av. bus, or on 5th or 4th Av., between 10 A. M. and 1:30 P. M.; reward. P. O. Box 1,384, Providence, R. I.

LOST.—Pocketbook containing gold articles, "F. P. K." and diamond and pearl stickpin, between Greenwich and New York; reward. Mrs. F. R. Kimbley, Glenville Road, Greenwich, Conn.

LOST.—A Japanese leather purse containing $17 and one-cent stamps and check, near Broadway and 40th St. Finder return to 1,230 Amsterdam Av. and receive reward.

LOST.—Pearl horseshoe, Thursday evening, 40th St. entrance Metropolitan Opera House; reward. Return to P. H. Mattlage, 58 Central Park West.

LOST.—On Christmas afternoon in Subway, 34th St., or Manhattan Theatre, string of turquoise beads; suitable reward. Post 171 West 95th St.

LOST.—A lady's gold watch, either on 62d St., between Lexington and 5th Avs., or on 5th Av., between 62d and 64th Sts.; initials "A. M. H." 153 E. 62d St.

LOST—Diamond earrings from 409 West 145th St. Liberal reward for return of earrings or pawn tickets representing same. Frank.

LOST—Brooklyn, Dec. 25, signet ring, small diamond; reward. Dolan, 125A Stuyvesant Av., Brooklyn.

LOST.—American Express Company's receipt book. Finder return Pruden Hardware Co., 864 8th Av.

LOST—Mink scarf, Dec. 25, Subway, between 145th and 23d Sts.; reward. 615 West 142d.

LIBERAL REWARD paid for return of diamond and ruby brooch to 43 East 28th St.

LOST.—Seal muff. Reward when returned to Janitor, 243 West 55th St.

LOST.—Man's gold seal ring; monogram F. H. R.; reward. 434 East 4th St., Brooklyn.

$50 REWARD and no questions asked for return of Tiffany watch, lost on Subway Dec. 27; monogram on back, "A. T. L." A. T. Lavallette, 230 West 48th St. Phone 8609 Bryant.

LIBERAL REWARD for return of brown fur boa, lost Friday, Dec. 27 on 45th St., between 5th and 6th Avs. Mrs. C. H. W., Hotel Seymour.

REWARD will be paid for return of lost cigarette case, gold, marked with name and address. Finder will please communicate with owner, Box G 294 Times Downtown.

Found

FOUND.—Small purse containing gold piece and other money in vicinity of 79th St. Y 62 Times.

Lost and Found, Cats, Dogs

LOST.—Shaggy Airedale terrier; "Rags"; black back, red body and head; reward. Dr. H. V. Holecomb, 344 W. 72d St. 6650 Columbus.

Boarders Wanted

East Side.

11TH ST., 29 EAST.—Desirable rooms; running water; excellent table; references; telephone.

15TH ST., 210 EAST, (Stuyvesant Park.)—Large rooms, private bath, well heated; excellent board; telephone.

21ST, 145 EAST, (Gramercy Park.)—Large sunny front room; steam; excellent table; phone; referenes.

IRVING PLACE, 47.—Newly furnished large and small rooms; excellent table; table guests; telephone.

IRVING PLACE, 71.—Large, small rooms; private baths; board; references. Telephone Gramercy 1978.

West Side.

5TH AV., 46.—Comfortable large, small rooms; excellent table; steam heat; telephone; table guests.

39TH ST., 49 WEST.—Heart shopping district; convenience theatres; high-class home cooking; table board.

44TH ST., 260 WEST, (Alliance Hotel.)—"Quiet place for quiet people." Single rooms, including board, $10 per week; use of bath; suites consisting of parlor, sleeping apartments, private bathrooms, $30 up per week, including board for two; other double rooms; steam heat throughout; elevator service. 'Phone 6068 Bryant.

48TH ST., 117 WEST.—Large, single rooms, private baths; house, table strictly first class; references.

49TH ST., 68 WEST.—Established 24 years; rooms and suites; private baths, telephones; superior table.

54TH ST., 54 WEST.
Large room, first-class; references.

57TH ST., 351 WEST.—First-class furnished large and small rooms; good board; Subway; telephone.

68TH ST., 72 WEST.—Comfortable rooms; ample table. A call may be to your advantage.

71ST ST., 130 WEST.—Large, warm room; home table; gentlemen preferred; Subway, "L."

72D, 131 WEST.—Medium and single rooms; well-appointed house; table guests accommodated; references.

72D, 159 WEST.—Attractive rooms, suite or separate; board; parlor floor dining room; references.

72D ST., 322 WEST.—Homelike single and double rooms; all conveniences; home cooking; reasonable; references.

79TH ST., 114 and 132 WEST.—Norece Hall and The Bonheur.—Under one management; select residential hotels; new throughout; steam heat; exceptional rooms and suites, handsome parlors, reception rooms, lounge and tea room; ideal in all appointments; Southern cooking; white maid service; rates reasonable. Write for booklet. 'Phone 7140 Schuyler.

80TH ST., 124 WEST.—Exceptionally fine room; electricity, telephone, home environments; generous table; references.

80TH ST., 143 WEST.—Fine front and rear parlors; private bath; sunny front room; references.

82D ST., 6 WEST.—Excellent home table; parlor dining; $5 per week; large, small room; table guests; first-class service.

82D ST., 55 WEST.—Warm, sunny room; also hall room; bath, with all conveniences; reasonable.

83D ST., 11 WEST.—Warm, well appointed rooms, southern exposure; first flight. Phone 5320 Schuyler.

83D ST., 23 WEST.—A large room with board; near bath; home surroundings. Schuyler 4837.

94TH, 36 WEST.—Hall room; electric light; running water; excellent board; Jewish family; gentleman.

94TH ST., 148 WEST.—Second and third floor small room; running water; excellent board; moderate rate.

Boarders Wanted

West Side.

97TH, 64 WEST.—Rooms with board; very desirable house; convenient "L" and Subway.

103D, (corner West End, 879.) Large corner room; all conveniences; splendid cuisine; rates moderate.

113TH ST., 544 WEST.—Large room, second floor front; also single; table guests; home cooking.

114TH ST., 526 WEST.—Exceptionally large, sunny room; adjoining bath; excellent table; table guests.

A.—A.—ADULT FAMILY, Protestant, having beautifully furnished, high-class apartment, Riverside Drive, close to Subway, southwestern exposure, will take as one of family, refined married couple, who will appreciate the environment of private home in preference to hotel; investigate; highest references exchanged; no others. C 100 Times.

INVESTIGATE THIS.
117th St., 352 West.—Large room; all conveniences; the very best home cooking. Apt. 32.

THE BEVERWYCK.
39-41 West 27th St. 'Phone 476—Madison. One and two rooms with bath; well furnished; meals served in apartments; prices reasonable.

Brooklyn.

MONTAGUE TERRACE, 5.—Heights, river view; most accessible locality N. Y. City; Subway 5 minutes Wall St.; corner trolley connects Bridge and Broadway; high-class neighborhood; board; rooms furnished, unfurnished. 905 Main.

PIERREPONT ST., 76.—Steam-heated rooms; excellent table; convenient Borough Hall Subway.

Furnished Rooms

East Side.

11TH ST., 78 EAST. Adjoining 5th Av.—Comfortable, heated rooms; running water, next baths; closets.

24TH, 120 EAST.—Two-room suite, private bath, $7; large heated room, water, $5.

31ST ST., 20 EAST.—Large furnished room for gentleman.

45TH ST., 25 EAST.—Rooms with and without bath; gentlemen; references.

55TH ST., 81 EAST.—Elegant furnished room, suitable for one or two. Telephone 3800—Plaza.

60TH ST., 134 EAST.—Single and double rooms; shower bath.

76TH ST., 32 EAST.—Sunny room, with lavatory; furnished or unfurnished; suitable doctor; board optional.

89TH, 143 EAST.—Large, small furnished front rooms; excellent table; telephone; private house.

IRVING PLACE, 14.—Front rooms; box spring beds; tiled bathrooms; absolute cleanliness. Wolcott Building.

MADISON AV., 175, near 33d.—Comfortable large room, suitable two gentlemen; bath; hall room; references.

West Side.

5TH AV., 25.—Refined surroundings; nice light, small rooms; bath; breakfast optional.

9TH, 41 WEST.—Large, sunny, front room; private bath; modern conveniences; telephone; other rooms.

12TH ST., 61 WEST.—Beautifully furnished, newly decorated rooms; every convenience; single room, $2.50; telephone.

23D ST., 423 WEST. Near 9th Av. "L."—Newly decorated and furnished rooms and suites; bath, 'phone, electricity; references required.

47TH ST., 41 WEST.—Large and small elegantly furnished steam-heated rooms; breakfast optional.

54TH ST., 215 WEST.—Beautifully furnished, large, light rooms in private apartment, suitable for gentlemen; all conveniences; breakfast optional; references exchanged.

58TH ST., 128 WEST.
HALL ROOMS, NEWLY RENOVATED.

58TH ST, 148 WEST.—Handsome second floor; private bath; other rooms, large, and single; references.

68TH ST., 38 WEST.—Bachelor apartments; exquisitely kept; unrivaled service; absolutely private; every modern convenience; breakfast if desired; highest references only.

69TH ST., 252 WEST.—Private house; handsomely furnished room; bath; terms moderate. Tel. 7996 Riverside.

70TH, 105 WEST.—Clean, beautifully furnished room; light back parlor, kitchenette. Phone 4034 Col.

70TH, 134 WEST.—Beautiful large room, also medium; hot water plentiful; baths, phone; reference.

70TH ST., 146 WEST.—Rooms, bath, private house; permanent; references.

71ST, 269 WEST.—Large, sunny front room; all conveniences; board optional; telephone 2357 Columbus.

71ST ST., 350 WEST.—Large front, newly furnished room; modern apartment; Subway express. Sly.

71ST ST., 104 WEST.—Large, newly furnished front room; private house; references.

72D ST., 159 WEST.—Attractive rooms, suite or separately; board; parlor floor dining room; references.

74TH, 149 WEST.—Rooms; suitable one or two; near bath; refined surroundings; references.

78TH ST., 160 WEST.—Nicely furnished large, sunny room; scrupulously clean.

79TH ST., 104 WEST.—Kosher board, up-to-date Jewish family; splendid rooms; excellent cooking. 7662 Schuyler.

80TH ST., 122 WEST.—Bachelor home; choice rooms, large and single; handsomely appointed house; reference.

80TH ST., 136 WEST.—Attractive large rooms; well furnished; running water; "L" or Subway; references.

80TH ST., 162 WEST.—Furnished, with Spanish family; board optional; first-class table; telephone.

80TH, 306 WEST.—Comfortable room for gentleman; private family; breakfast if desired. Apt. 1 West.

81ST ST., 108 WEST.—Pleasant, nicely furnished room; running water; conveniences; reasonable; private house; references.

81ST ST., 265 WEST.—Handsomely furnished, sunny rooms; gentlemen; references; $6, $10. V. R.

81ST ST., 204 WEST.—Two-room suite, single, $10-$3.50; ground floor; phone. Schuyler 8454. Richmond.

82D ST., 8 WEST.—Select large and small rooms; home comforts; out-of-town guests and Southerners accommodated.

82D ST., 134 WEST.—Large front room, second floor; running water; well heated; adjoining bath.

82D ST., 152 WEST.—Handsomely furnished rooms; continuous hot water; all conveniences; telephone; Subway, elevated.

82D ST., 327 WEST.—Private house: second floor; large front, medium rear; shower, telephone; moderate.

82d St., 53 West.—Suite of two rooms; private bath, hot water, heat; private house.

82d St., 53 West.—Parlor floor; private house; suitable for professionals.

84TH ST., 326 WEST.—Light, attractive rooms; southern exposure; $3 to $6 weekly; conveniences.

85TH, 128 WEST.—Large rooms; private bath; nicely furnished; reasonable; telephone; references.

87TH ST., 127 WEST.—Pleasant room, adjoining bath; all conveniences; near elevated, Subway; $20 monthly.

87TH ST., 156 WEST.—First-class rooms; baths; couples; gentlemen; private house; board; "L," Subway.

93D ST., 27 WEST.—Attractive, homelike rooms; large, small; warm, sunny; all conveniences; telephone; reasonable.

97TH ST., 143 WEST.—First-class private house; attractive rooms, suite, singly; board optional; phone.

97TH, 256 WEST.—Private Jewish family; room suitable for two; breakfast; elevator apartment. Grossman.

102D ST, 254 WEST.—Private house near subway station; refined environment; small, attractive room. Telephone.

103D ST., 132 WEST.—Comfortable front room, dressing room; convenient "L," Subway; $7; private house.

104TH ST., 245 WEST.—Large room, heated, in select apartment on Broadway; refined, quiet gentleman; terms, $5 weekly. 'Phone 8752 Riverside. Dolphin.

106TH ST., 38 WEST.—Small, sunny, pleasant room; private house; every convenience; telephone; gentlemen; references.

111TH ST., 203 WEST.—Furnished room in high-class apartment; electric light; all improvements.

112TH ST., 505 WEST.—Warm, sunny front and back parlors; telephone, bath; very reasonable. Wilford.

113TH ST., 611 WEST, (Near Drive.)—Two handsomely furnished rooms, every convenience; separate or en suite; superior table; home cooking. Apt. 61.

115TH ST., 404 WEST, (between Morningside and Columbia University.)—Choice rooms; elevator; moderate. Apartment 51.

116TH ST., 620 WEST.—Newly furnished front rooms; $8-$10; very comfortable; every convenience. Panny.

117TH, 117 WEST.—Beautifully furnished, large and small rooms; running water; well heated; all conveniences; near Subway and elevated station.

118TH ST., 414 WEST, (near Columbia.)—Elevator, telephone; single rooms, $3.50; double, $5.50. Smith.

118TH ST., 107 WEST.—Elegantly furnished room, one, two gentlemen; electricity; telephone; doctor's private house.

118TH, (442 Manhattan Av.)—Parlor suite; every convenience; homelike suites, $2 to $6. Akers.

Furnished Rooms

West Side.

121ST ST., 509 WEST, (half block East Broadway.)—Beautiful room, newly furnished; reception room; excellent dining room; elevators. See Mr. Yetman.

122D ST., 416 WEST.—Large room, first class; reasonable; elevator; electricity; 'phone; kitchen. Apartment 31.

124TH ST., 541 WEST.—American family; elevated and Broadway Subway; $5; gentlemen. Apartment 21.

127TH ST., (200 Claremont Av.)—Attractive front parlor; high-class elevator apartment; block Broadway Subway; reasonable; gentleman. 'Phone 211 Morningside. Apt. 47.

136TH ST., 601 WEST.—Desirable sunny front room; bath adjoining; high-class elevator; reasonable. White.

137TH ST., 611 WEST.—Suites; private bath; single rooms; running water; hotel service. Pierson.

139TH ST., 601 WEST.—Near station; front rooms; southern exposure; electricity; elevator; reasonable. Apartment 31.

157TH ST., 551 WEST.—Furnished room, suitable two gentlemen, adjoining bath; elevator. Apartment 34.

157TH ST., 551 WEST.—Handsomely furnished room, suitable one, two; no other roomers; see superintendent.

A SOUTHERN LADY will rent one, two rooms, corner apartment, overlooking Broadway, Hudson, near 96th St. Subway Station. 'Phone 4089 River.

FOR RENT in a most desirable neighborhood, two highly attractive and well-furnished rooms, with plenty of light, with bath, and every modern convenience; rent for two rooms, $14 per week with breakfast; if rented separately, $9 per week for front room, $5 per week for rear room; a most unusual opportunity for two desirable young men who seek an agreeable home at moderate cost; no others need apply; unexceptionable references required. Telephone 4349 Columbus. Mrs. J. Y. Norton, 60 West 66th St.

FREE INFORMATION regarding room and board. Leland's, 4 West 33d; 25th year; all investigated.

HILLEBRAND'S HOTEL, 515 PEARL ST., corner Lafayette.—Nicely furnished, light, airy; steam heat; $1.50 up; gentlemen.

LARGE, newly furnished eight room; telephone, elevator, electricity; references required. 113th St., 504 West.

THE NEW YORK, 60th, 22 West.—Elegantly kept; private baths; $25-$60 monthly.

WASHINGTON PLACE, 121.—Large, elegantly furnished room; porcelain bath adjoining; telephone and every convenience; responsible party; $5; also studio, north light.

Brooklyn.

PRESIDENT ST., 920.—Newly decorated and handsomely furnished throughout; refined surroundings for refined people; breakfast optional; references. 'Phone Prospect 5716.

Bronx.

SOUTHERN BOULEVARD, 1,058, Simpson Station, 'Phone 5481 Melrose.—Room, well furnished; reasonable. Apartment 209.

Help Wanted, Female

COOK, THOROUGHLY EXPERIENCED, FOR SMALL PRIVATE FAMILY; MUST HAVE GOOD REFERENCES.
MRS. WHEELOCK, 724 5TH AV.

GENERAL HOUSEWORKER, $25; sleep home if desired; 8 hours' work; references. Apply 133 East 61st St., early afternoon.

NEW YORK SCHOOL OF SECRETARIES.
Aeolian Hall, 27 West 42d St. Secretarial courses only; special inducements for enrollments before Jan. 4. V. M. Wheat, Director.

STENOGRAPHER and CLERICAL ASSISTANT in advertising department of leading magazine; must be rapid and accurate and have had experience in general office work; salary $15; excellent opportunity for advancement. Box 103, Madison Square Station, City.

WANTED.—French fitters, prominent Broadway modiste. State experience and salary. Address Style, Box 50, 1,570 Broadway.

Help Wanted, Male

A YOUNG MAN of education and address to learn the advertising business; good opening for the right man; must be conscientious worker and not afraid of long hours; moderate salary to start; give telephone number for interview Saturday afternoon. Box N 109 Times.

BECOME A JEWELER: enter a dignified, profitable field; we teach you in a few months diamond setting, engraving, making platinum diamond jewelry, &c.; assist you in establishing your own business or guarantee you a position; easy terms. Schickerling Mfg. Co., 80 Maiden Lane.

DRAFTSMEN.—Several men with 5 years' or more general experience in mechanical and structural work. Apply by letter only to United Coke and Gas Co., 17 Battery Place.

MANAGER for apartment house; experienced in renting and managing help absolutely necessary. Apply Pease & Elliman, 165 West 72d St.

NEW YORK SCHOOL OF SECRETARIES.
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OLD ESTABLISHED, high-grade piano manufacturer requires two salesmen, capable of earning over $50 weekly, on a very liberal commission basis; exceptional opportunity for live salesmen. Y 68 Times.

SALESMAN.—A house of many years' standing wishes to engage a few bright young men for city and vicinity; commission only. Call after 3 P. M., 92 Pine St.

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STENOGRAPHER.—There is a good opening for a young man experienced, rapid, and capable, with Long Island City firm. Reply, stating qualifications and salary, Y 51 Times.

WANTED—Out-of-town public accounting office will require one or two thoroughly competent seniors about Jan. 1 for temporary or permanent engagement; useless for other than men of standing, integrity, and up to date ability to apply; state age, years of experience, accountants by whom employed, references, and lowest salary. Address Y 61 Times.

WANTED COMPETENT MANAGER—Wanted intelligent, capable man to take charge of a Jewish Sanatorium for consumptives. Capacity about one hundred patients; vicinity, not far from New York. Apply in writing, stating qualifications and former experiences. N 111 Times.

WANTED—By a dress goods importing house, young man experienced in sample room and clerical work. F 211 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN wanted to act as reporter; best references wanted; must possess refinement and up-to-date appearance; none but those that can be bonded; excellent opportunity; write at once. B. E., 163 East 125th St.

Situations Wanted Female

BOOKKEEPER.—Double entry; typewriter; several years' experience; trial balances; executive ability; references. Y 56 Times.

BRIGHT BOY over 18 for night work in newspaper office; good chance for advancement. Room 305, 253 Broadway.

COMPETENT DRESSMAKER.—Makes ladies', children's dresses, reasonable. Mme. Juliet, 126 East 12th St. 408 Stuyvesant.

EXPERT STENOGRAPHER, with executive ability, varied experience, desires position, private secretaryship; best references; would travel. Address P., 1,050 44th St., Brooklyn.

GRADUATE NURSE, with best of references, would like occupation mornings. C. L. B., 134 East 60th St.

HOUSEKEEPER.—Public School teacher; five years' experience in house managing and cooking; Protestant; aged 28; widower's family preferred; children unobjectionable. N 95 Times.

STENOGRAPHER, typewriter, office assistant; beginner; neat, intelligent American girl; two years high school; rapid, accurate; no agency; $7. G 279 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, typewriter, and bookkeeper; reliable, trustworthy; highest references; salary moderate. Stenographer, 61 2d Av.

STENOGRAPHER.—Seeks position for mornings or afternoons; is systematic, thoroughly reliable, well educated. Miss N 90 Times.

Situations Wanted Male

ACCOUNTANT, auditor, expert; partnership or corporation books opened, audited, systematized, and closed; trial balance, income, profit and loss statements, and balance sheets prepared; small sets books kept; references, personal service; reasonable charges. Accountant, N, 59 Times.

ACCOUNTANT, expert, degrees, books opened, closed, audited, and systems installed; financial statements, &c., prepared; rates moderate; personal service. Accountant, Room 702, 132 Nassau St. Telephone Beekman 2730.

ACCOUNTANT.—Books opened, system installed, disentangled; arrangements with firms not employing bookkeepers; $2.50 weekly. Accountant, 79 Mercer St. Tel. 398 Spring.

ACCOUNTANT.—Expert; books opened, closed, balanced, systematised, audited, written up, kept part time, reasonable. Frechtman, 320 Broadway, N. Y. Telephone Worth 563.

ACCOUNTANT.—Expert; books opened, closed, balanced, systematized, audited, written up, kept part time; reasonable. Accountant, 32 Union Square. 'Phone 2259 Stuyvesant.

ACCOUNTANT—Audits, books opened, closed, financial statements, systems installed. Sumliner, 910 De Kalb Av., Brooklyn. Telephone 4598 Bushwick.

ACCOUNTANT, expert; books opened, closed, adjusted, kept part time; reasonable. Auditor, 500 5th Av.

Situations Wanted Male

ACCOUNTANT.—Certified, expert; keeps books, systematizer, auditor; highly recommended. Agar, 1,328 Broadway.

ACCOUNTANT, degree, opens, closes, corporation, single, or partnership books; moderate. P. O. Box 225, Madison Square.

ACCOUNTANT.—Certified, expert; keeps books, systematizer, auditor; highly recommended. Agar, 1,328 Broadway.

BOOKKEEPER wants position; best reference; moderate salary. E. W., 810 Broad St., Newark, N. J.

CHAUFFEUR-GARDENER, married, aged 27, white; 5 years' experience with autos; capable every way; born, raised on a farm; first class for small country place; permanent position only; city and country, or country only; highest references. Chauffeur, 950 6th Av.

CHAUFFEUR.—Young man desires position evenings, nights, or 4 days a week; experienced; highest references. G 295 Times Downtown.

CHAUFFEUR, married, mechanic, commercial car; good shipper. Smith, 4,806 5th Av., Brooklyn.

ENERGETIC MAN, extensive business experience in representative and fiduciary capacity, executive ability, law graduate, seeks responsible connection. N 91 Times.

ENGINEER, 36, first class license; experienced with all kinds of machinery, desires position where sobriety, steadiness are appreciated. N 76 Times.

EXPERT STATISTICIAN, well trained in economic analysis, wishes to make permanent connections beginning January with a responsible concern, preferably with a Wall Street house; experience; references. X 154 Times.

GERMAN, with good knowledge of English, some Spanish and French, experience in import and export, also banking in London, desires position in import and export firm. Y 69 Times.

JANITOR, PAINTER, CARPENTER.—Understands machinery; 23 years' reference; moderate salary. Schneider, G 304 Times Downtown.

MANAGER, manufacturing, sales, ten years' experience, desires change; mechanical or electrical. H 103 Times.

OFFICE POSITION desired by young man; speaks French, German; typewriter. Burton, 548 West 165th St.

PRACTICAL MAN for manufacturer as bookkeeper, foreman, or salesman; best reference. N 104 Times.

PROOFREADER, first-class job, desires position in or out of city. Y 64 Times.

SALESMAN with selling ability wishes position with good house; reference furnished. J. B., G 293 Times Downtown.

VALET.—Colored young man, neat appearance, would like job valeting bachelor; no objection traveling; best references. Plummer, 14 Douglass, Brooklyn.

VALET wishes take charge apartment or gentleman's place; personal reference. Kyoto, 41 East 19th St.

YOUNG MAN, 24, married, two years at college, some business experience, desires to connect with good firm, where advancement is offered; references. J 88 Times.

YOUNG MAN, (21,) high school graduate, 2 years with present employers, desires position where ambition will advance. G 306 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, several years' business experience salesman and inside, desires position. Y 54 Times.

YOUNG college fellow would like work for Saturdays; references. Security, 211 East 76th St.

YOUNG MAN, ambitious, 19, good character, desires position; excellent references. S., 174 Lenox Av.

Employment Bureaus

Commercial.

ACCOUNTANTS. High-Grade Office Helpers.
BOOKKEEPERS. Office Service Co., (Agency.)
STENOGRAPHERS, 149 B'way. Tel. 3499 Cort.

Domestic.

A.—For excellent colored servants 'phone Riverside 4375. Domestic Service Agency, 203 West 98th.

ALL KINDS (select) help supplied immediately; references investigated. Harlem—6370. Middlesex Emp. Bureau, 28 West 134th St.

COLORED HOUSEWORKERS.—Several neat girls, experienced, good references; thoroughly investigated, want places; other Southern help furnished. Lincoln Industrial Exchange, (agency,) 314 West 59th. 'Phone 4786 Columbus. Established 1899.

COMPETENT COLORED HELP of all trades supplied. Riverside Employment Agency, 12 West 99th St. Riverside—1538.

COMPETENT help, short notice, procurable at Progressive Emp., reliable, 34 West 131st. 5370 Harlem.

FIRST-CLASS SERVANTS.—Mrs. Berta Carlson's Employment Agency, 2,494 Broadway, between 92d and 93d Sts. Telephone 9527 Riverside.

HOUSEWORKER, Polish; $25. Cook, German, $30; references. Domestic Exchange, 324 Columbus Av. Schuyler 9136.

JAPANESE ABLE EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 844 6th Av., furnishes select help to private families; references fully investigated. Telephone Bryant 7709.

SHEPHERD EMPLOYMENT.—Help supplied day, week, month; male, female. 107 West 133d St. Tel. 6916—Morningside.

Referees' Notices

SUPREME COURT, COUNTY OF NEW York.—THE TAX LIEN COMPANY OF NEW YORK, Plaintiff, against PIERRE G. CARROLL et al., Defendants.

In pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and sale, duly made and entered in the above-entitled action, and bearing date the 8th day of November, 1912, I, the undersigned, the referee in said judgment named, will sell at public auction, at the Exchange Salesroom, Nos. 14-16 Vesey Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 17th day of December, 1912, at 12 o'clock noon on that day, by Samuel Goldsticker, auctioneer, the premises directed by said judgment to be sold, and therein described as follows:

All that certain piece, plot, or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements thereon, situate, lying, and being in the Borough of Manhattan, City, County, and State of New York, bounded and described as follows, (according to the Tax Map of the City of New York):

Borough of Manhattan.

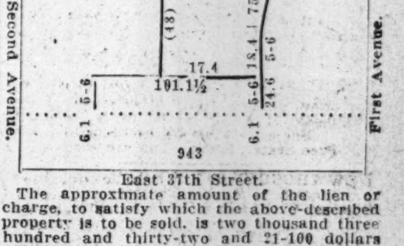
New description. Section 3, Block 943, Lot 48.

Location—South side of East 38th Street, between First and Second Avenues.

Premises known as No. 316 East 38th Street.

Dated New York, November 20, 1912.
ABRAHAM BENEDICT, Referee.
WILLIAM LUSTGARTEN, Attorney for Plaintiff, 68 William Street, Manhattan, New York City.

The following is a diagram of the property to be sold (according to Tax Map of the City of New York):



The approximate amount of the lien or charge, to satisfy which the above-described property is to be sold, is two thousand three hundred and thirty-two and 21-100 dollars ($2,332.21), with interest thereon from the 8th day of November, 1912, together with costs and allowances amounting to five hundred and ten and 68-100 dollars ($510.68), together with the expenses of the sale. The approximate amount of the taxes, assessments, and water rents or other liens, which are to be allowed to the purchaser out of the purchase money, or paid by the referee, is twelve hundred and eighty-one and 17-100 dollars ($1,281.17) and interest.

Dated New York, November 20, 1912.
ABRAHAM BENEDICT, Referee.

The foregoing sale is hereby adjourned to Tuesday, January 7th, 1913, at the same hour and place.

Dated New York, December 17th, 1912.
ABRAHAM BENEDICT, Referee.

SUMMONSES.

SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, COUNTY OF NEW YORK.—MARTHA GREGG, Plaintiff, against JAMES G. ANDRIACCIO and FILOMENA ANDRIACCIO, his wife, VINCENZO GARIANO, and JANE GARIANO, his wife, (the name "Jane" being fictitious, her real name being unknown to plaintiff) and the FRANK BREWERY, Defendants.—Summons—Plaintiff desires trial in the County Court of New York. TO THE ABOVE-NAMED DEFENDANTS AND TO EACH OF THEM: YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED to answer the Complaint in this action, and to serve a copy of your answer on the plaintiff's attorneys within twenty days after the service of this Summons, exclusive of the day of service, and in case of your failure to appear, or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated September 19th, 1912.
BAYLIS & SANBORN, Attorneys for Plaintiff, Office & Post Office Address, 37 & 39 Liberty Street, New York City, New York.

To the above-named defendants, Vincenzo Gariano and Jane Gariano, wife of Vincenzo Gariano (the name "Jane" being fictitious, her real name being unknown to plaintiff): The foregoing Summons is served upon you by publication, pursuant to an Order of Hon. Joseph E. Newburger, Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, dated the 7th day of November, 1912, and filed with the Complaint in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, City and State of New York.
BAYLIS & SANBORN, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

American Fashions for American Women

Notice to Those Intending to Enter The New York Times Contest in

American-Designed Hats and Dresses..

Entries will positively close JANUARY 10.

Entries may be made only in the classes described below. Designs must be submitted according to Form described below.

DETAILS OF THE CONTEST:

THE PRIZES:

For a Colored Drawing of a Spring Hat of Original Design
$100 as a First Prize.
$50 as a Second Prize.
$25 as a Third Prize.

For a Colored Drawing of a Spring Dress of Original American Design Intended for Afternoon Wear
$100 as a First Prize.
$50 as a Second Prize.
$25 as a Third Prize.

For a Colored Drawing of an Evening Gown of Original American Design.
$100 as a First Prize.
$50 as a Second Prize.
$25 as a Third Prize.

The designs submitted will be carefully and confidentially judged, and with absolute impartiality, by a special jury of six judges representing authoritative knowledge of good dressing.

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CONDITIONS

WHO MAY ENTER: Any person living in the United States. This includes those engaged in the designing or the business of millinery or dressmaking. There is no entrance fee.

COMPETITORS FOR THE PRIZES must submit colored drawings of their designs, each with not more than a hundred words of description on the back of each design. This descriptive matter should specify materials and shades, but small samples of both materials and shades may be pinned to the design if desired. Any drawing will be accepted in competition, provided that it may be readily understandable by the judges. Only one design may be entered by any one designer in any one class. Each design must be enclosed separately in an envelope plainly marked "For the American Hat Prizes," or "For the American Afternoon Dress Prizes," or "For the American Evening Gown Prizes."

THE REQUIREMENTS: It is the general consensus of opinion among dress authorities that there are two basic principles of good dressing—beauty of line and harmony of color. This naturally means simplicity. This point of beauty with simplicity will be the determining factor in awarding all prizes.

THE DESIGNS must be original and suited to the Spring Season of 1913. The fullest scope is allowed as to the character of the design of hat or dress so long as the requirements outlined in the previous paragraphs are recognized. The materials and colors to be worn this Spring should be followed. The designs should be suitable for a woman from 25 to 50 years of age, as the designer may select. The proportions of the model are left to the discretion of the designer.

ALL ENTRIES MUST BE RECEIVED BY JANUARY 10th, 1913, either delivered or sent by mail, prepaid, to the Fashion Editor, The Times, New York. Sufficient postage for return must be enclosed. The designer's name and address must be enclosed in a sealed plain envelope, securely attached to the design. No name or address must appear on the design itself. The envelopes attached to the prize winners will be opened by the judges after the prizes are awarded. No other envelope will be opened by the judges and no contestants other than prize winners will be known or published. Envelopes attached to contesting designs which do not receive awards will be opened confidentially only for the purpose of discovering the address to which the design must be returned.

THE AWARDS will be announced as near to February 1st as is consistent with a careful examination.

THE PRIZE HATS AND DRESSES WILL BE PICTURED in a special section of The New York Times in its issue of Sunday, February 23d. They will be redrawn and carefully colored by artists who specialize in fashions, and will be published in their full colors by the four-color process and printed on fine paper. All designs will be returned to the designers. The New York Times reserves no rights in the designs themselves other than the right of their exclusive publication.

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MANY HAVE WRONG GLASSES

Urges Board of Education to Take Entire Control of Health of Backward Pupils.

There are 78,000 children in the public schools of this city with defective vision and 80 per cent. of these cases are absolutely inexcusable, Dr. William Martin Richards, an eye specialist of this city, says in a detailed report to the Board of Education on the cases of forty defective school children. He recommends that the responsibility of examining all school children for mental, moral and physical defects be vested solely in the Department of Education instead of being divided, as under the present system, between this department and the Department of Health. Conditions, he says in his report, are deplorable and are directly responsible for starting thousands of school children on the path to ultimate dependency.

Dr. Richards said yesterday that his estimate was based on the percentage of children who were not regularly promoted from year to year. This percentage, he said, was about 10 per cent. of the total number of school children. His estimate that 80 per cent. of these might be saved by proper examination and care of the eyes, he said, was based on his own investigation of forty such children from two public schools in the Bronx. All of the forty cases had been brought to his attention by a friend who had co-operated with the Principals of the two schools to make a systematic study, covering a period of six months.

"The forty cases that came to my attention," said Dr. Richards, "were the forty worst cases that could be found in Public Schools 4 and 44. Eighteen of the children were ungraded, that is, they were too stupid for any class; eleven were so stupid that it required two or three terms to do a single term's work; the remaining eleven were delinquents in discipline. Most of the children complained of headaches, but only two of them had glasses. The children who were in the graded classes had been passed as not needing glasses by the Medical Inspector of the Board of Health; the children in the ungraded classes had been passed by the Inspector of Defectives of the Department of Education.

"I brought those forty children into my office and put them through a regular examination and I discovered that each and every one of the forty needed glasses. Thirty-two of the children were far-sighted and hence had a natural dislike for reading from books; three were near-sighted, one was entirely blind. Eight of the forty cases escaped our supervision because of transfer, but on the remaining thirty-two we kept close watch, making three distinct observations in a period of six months. The reports were made by thirty-two different teachers and the most astonishing progress was noted in all but seven out of the thirty-two cases."

Dr. Richards said that he was shocked to find that one of the two who wore glasses was fitted with lenses which were twenty sizes wrong.

"This child," said Dr. Richards, "had 28 per cent. vision in one eye and 20 per cent. in the other eye. With proper glasses this child had 80 per cent. vision in one eye and almost 50 in the other. The other child, who was wearing glasses, could not see the line which should be seen at 100 feet until it went to within five feet of it. The glasses worn did not correct the difference in the amount of far-sightedness in his two eyes, which was fifteen sizes, nor his astigmatism of thirteen sizes in one eye and fourteen in the other. The most casual inspection of these two children after they had obtained glasses would have shown that the glasses were not right. In the first case, in fact, the child saw better without the glasses than she did with them, both near and far."

Dr. Richards said that his examinations had been conducted at his own expense, and that the money for the glasses had been subscribed by an interested friend. He was looking for no remuneration, he said, but hoped that certain changes would be made to meet the conditions.

"In the medical report on these forty cases, which I sent to the Board of Education," Dr. Richards said, "I made three recommendations. First, that the entire care of the school children, mental, moral, and physical, should be vested in one department, with a single head, namely, the Department of Education. Secondly, a sufficient number of doctors should be trained until they are competent to correct all physical defects of the children who are at present in the category of ungraded, backward, or disciplinary cases. Any child whose work is unsatisfactory for one term should be examined by one of these men and all defects of structure and habit corrected. Thirdly, there should be a bureau in the Department of Education where glasses are accurately made, according to the formula presented. Only one such place exists in the city at present."

Commissioner Lederle and Dr. Walter Bensel of the Health Department said yesterday that they had seen Dr. Richards's report, but that they had not had time to review it thoroughly. Concerning the recommendations of Dr. Richards, they said that it would be impracticable to carry them out because of the great cost. Dr. Bensel declared that none of the forty children examined by Dr. Richards had been previously examined by members of his staff. Both expressed themselves as hopeful that more might be done in the future for defective school children.

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MORE COLLEGE SOCIALISTS.

Convention Gets Reports Showing Middle West Best Field.

The fourth annual convention of the Inter-Collegiate Socialist Society began yesterday afternoon at the studio of Miss Helen Phelps Stokes, 90 Grove Street, attended by representatives from practically all the large universities and colleges in the United States. J. G. Phelps Stokes presided.

Organizer Harry W. Laidler said the undergraduate chapters of the Inter-Collegiate Socialist Society, since its convention in December, 1911, had increased from 38 to 59, and the graduate chapters from 4 to 11. The greatest progress had been noted in the Middle West, where 9 chapters were added. In the Middle Atlantic States there was an increase of 6 chapters, and 2 each in the New England, Mountain and Southern States. He stated that 13 undergraduate organizations had been formed this Fall.

"The largest organizations," said Laidler, "are at Harvard, Yale, Columbia, Cornell, University of Michigan, New York Dental Colleges and Illinois. There are between 900 and 1,000 members of the undergraduate chapters and about 700 college alumni. The New York Alumni Chapter is the largest of the graduate groups, with a membership of 320. Boston, Washington, Philadelphia, Chicago, Los Angeles, Pittsburgh, Cleveland, Columbus, and Springfield also have alumni groups.

"By the organization of the Alberta University Chapter the society has become international in its scope and it is now looking forward to affiliation with the British Inter-University Socialist Federation, formed last Spring."

Next the reports of the delegates were heard, and it was shown that in the larger universities and colleges from 40 to 60 was the average membership of the different Socialist Society chapters, and of these from 50 to 65 per cent. were Socialists.

The report of the Yale delegate was received with the greatest enthusiasm. The activities of the society, it was reported, were opposed bitterly at first by faculty and students, who even went so far as to conduct a campaign against the movement through the college publications. Now, it was reported, the Inter-Collegiate Socialist Society had received the sanction of the Economic Department, whose approval or disapproval is upheld by the university.

At Harvard the Socialist Society numbers about 50 members, of whom 30 are Socialist. The chapter was reported to have enjoyed a steady growth. The chapter at Columbia University, just completing its first year, counts 29 members, and over half of them are Socialists.

The Socialist Society Chapter at Princeton had held four public meetings. About 50 members were present at the first, 25 at the second, and only a handful at the next two, which were addressed by members of the faculty. Eugene V. Debs is going to speak before the Princeton chapter soon.

"We're going to drill it into them," said the Princeton delegate, "and this means that we are going to give up the chloroform bottle and butterfly net, and use the hammer."

The report from the College of the City of New York was that the whole institution was Socialistic, though there was no strong organization among the students. At New York University on Washington Heights, the chapter organized about a year ago has been growing steadily, with the faculty by no means hostile. Several of the faculty, it was reported, are members of the chapter.

The New York Dental Chapter has increased its membership since its organization, from 13 to 70. The college authorities are antagonistic, and the members of the chapter propose to build a chapter house and continue their meetings separate from the institution.

Marine Reporters Elect Officers.

The New York Ship News Reporters' Association at its annual meeting yesterday elected these officers: T. W. Williams, President; R. D. Whytock, Vice President; C. H. M. Jones, who retires as President, Treasurer, and Seabury Lawrence, Secretary. The association's annual dinner will be held on Washington's Birthday, Feb. 22.

CITY BREVITIES.

Mrs. I. Boehm of 981 Madison Avenue has given $2,000 to the funds of the Sanitarium for Hebrew Children at Rockaway Park.

Owing to the interest in the Hauptmann Exhibit at the Columbia University Library, 116th Street and Broadway, it has been decided to continue the exhibit until Dec. 31. The exhibit is open to the public daily from 9 until 6 o'clock.

Abraham Cohen, recently convicted of attempted extortion and said to be a member of a gang of horse poisoners, was sentenced to not less than three years and four months nor more than six years and eight months in State Prison yesterday by Judge Crain in General Sessions.

CLUB FOR BROADWAY MODELS

First Meeting Was Set for April 1, but Later Was Changed.

If you are an artist's model and feel that you need the literary side of your nature developed or think you are in need of physical exercise to keep in proper form, you should apply at once for membership in the Broadway Models' Athletic Club. Papers of incorporation for this club were filed yesterday in the Supreme Court. It is a very exclusive organization, and you may not be elected to membership, but you will lose nothing by trying.

The organization is to be run by a board of four Directors, Mrs. Irene Gladys of 128 East 113th Street, Miss Mary Cabianchi of 311 East 104th Street, Mrs. Mary Sinconolfi of 305 East 104th Street, and Miss Ruth Tibbets of 1,975 Madison Avenue.

Its objects as stated in the papers are to further literary thought among its members, to give each the advice of the others in this regard, to promote a social and friendly feeling between the incorporators and all those who may become members thereof, and to encourage among its members the necessity of physical exercise for the purposes of bettering health and strength. Lectures and social gatherings are to be held as frequently as is deemed advisable. The date for the first meeting was set for April 1, but this seemed to be too dangerous a day, so the "April," which was only faintly visible in the petition, was scratched out, leaving the date undetermined.

LOOK TO NEWARK FOR AID.

Garment Workers Predict Strike Will Take In Shops There.

An effort will be made to get Madison Square Garden for one of the mass meetings of the garment workers Monday evening, when for the first time the vote in favor of a strike, which already has been published, will be officially announced to the workers.

The Executive Committee of the New York Clothing Trade Association, the members of which employ a large proportion of the workers involved in the coming strike, met yesterday afternoon at the Hotel Brevoort and discussed the situation. Reports from the different factories were heard, and after the meeting the committee authorized a statement to be printed as an advertisement in the newspapers.

The members of the Clothing Cutters' Union met last night in various halls to vote by ballot on the question of joining in the strike of the tailors. It was said the strike sentiment was very strong.

Max Pine, general organizer of the garment workers, said the strike would be general, and that besides tying up the trade in New York, it would also extend to Newark, N. J.

IN POLICE CAPTAIN'S BED.

Visitor Turns Out to be an Aged Man Who Had Got Lost.

Police Capt. Burfeind, in charge of the Stagg Street Station in Williamsburg, was asleep in his private room yesterday morning when an old man entered quietly and taking off his hat and coat tumbled into the bed. The Captain was awakened and expected to have a fight. But when he found that he was a man past 81 years of age, he questioned him gently. The man said he was John Huebner and that he lived at Evergreen, L. I. His relatives were communicated with and later they came and took him home.

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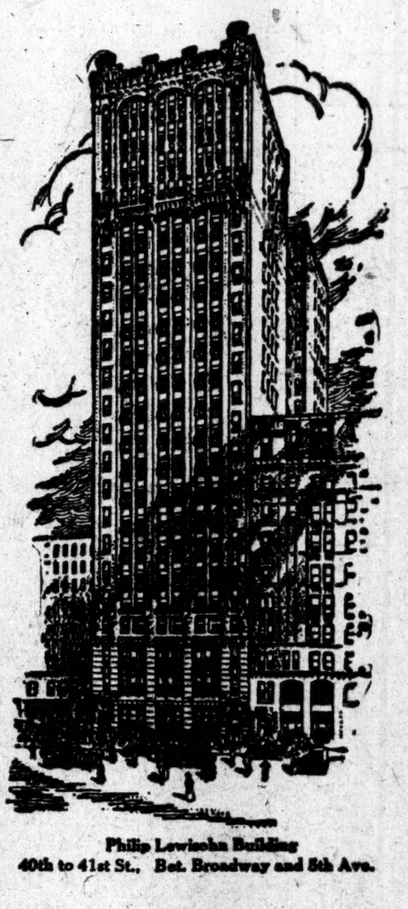

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